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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

- S 0414 **GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Similar H 0401)
Public Records/Antitrust Issues; abrogates repeal of provisions re
confidential information submitted to Attorney General's Office for
review of antitrust issues. Amends 408.185. Effective Date:
07/01/2001.
05/01/01 SENATE Reconsidered -SJ 00670; House Bill substituted
-SJ 00670; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare
passed, refer to HB 401 (Ch. 2001-72)
- H 0401 GENERAL BILL by State Administration (SGC); Brummer (Similar
S 0414)
Public Records/Health Care Community; amends provision which
provides exemption from public records requirements for certain
documents, contracts, & proprietary confidential business
information submitted by such entities in connection with request
for antitrust no-action letter for specified period; reenacts such
exemption & removes October 2, 2001, repeal thereof scheduled under
OGSR Act of 1995. Amends 408.185. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
05/01/01 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 01521
05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/29/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-72
- S 0416 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging
and Long-Term Care (Compare H 1591, S 2050)
Medicaid/Medically Needy Program; establishes medically needy
income level; requires coverage for certain individuals awaiting
for Medicare coverage; amends procedures re Medicaid buy-in program
to provide medical assistance to specified category of individuals;
directs AHCA to seek approval from Health Care Financing Admin. of
specified methodology for calculating medical expenses under
medically needy program, etc. Amends 409.904,.908,.914; creates
409.9045. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/21/01 SENATE CS read first time on 03/22/01 -SJ 00223
03/22/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and
Human Services -SJ 00221
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on
Health and Human Services
- H 1591 GENERAL BILL by Romeo; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel (Identical S 2050,
Compare CS/S 0416)
Health Insurance/Low Income Families; provides legislative intent
to provide expanded access to health insurance for adults living in
families whose income is at or below federal poverty level & to
access federal funds for this coverage; creates Health Care
Coverage Workgroup; authorizes AHCA to make payments for medical
assistance for families & individuals whose income is at or below

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- H 1591 (Continued)
133 percent of federal poverty level, etc. Amends 409.901,.904.
Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00313
03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Health Promotion (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council -HJ 00349
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Promotion (HCC)
- S 2050 GENERAL BILL by Mitchell (Identical H 1591, Compare CS/S 0416)
Health Insurance/Low Income Families; provides legislative intent to provide expanded access to health insurance for adults living in families whose income is at or below federal poverty level & to access federal funds for this coverage; creates Health Care Coverage Workgroup; authorizes AHCA to make payments for medical assistance for families & individuals whose income is at or below 133 percent of federal poverty level, etc. Amends 409.901,.904.
Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/06/01 SENATE Filed
03/21/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00208
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance
- S 0688 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 1879, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Health Care/Background Screening; requires AHCA to convene interagency workgroup to study issues pertaining to certain background screening requirements for health care professionals & owners, operators, & employees of certain health care providers, services, & programs; provides for composition of workgroup; requires report; abrogates repeal of provisions of law which require background screening of applicants for licensure, certification, or registration. Effective Date: 06/01/2001.
05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/29/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-67; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 0475 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Murman; Lynn; Detert; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 0477, Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, Compare H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158)
Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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H 0475 (Continued)

accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; requires postnatal tests & screenings for infant metabolic disorders to be performed by State Public Health Laboratory; revises provisions re food service employee training programs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02049

05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/23/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-53; See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1879 GENERAL BILL/CS by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 1881, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, S 0242, CS/S 0688, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, S 1372, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1726)

Long-Term Care; requires ombudsman verification & reporting of nursing home staff on duty & posting thereof; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; limits actions against nursing homes & assisted living facilities; requires facility posting of Fla. Nursing Home Guide Watch List; provides performance review & inservice training requirements for certified nursing assistants, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00966; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -HJ 00966

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1726 (Ch. 2001-194)

S 1312 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Linked S 1314, Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0477, H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158) Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; revises provisions re pharmacy wholesaler permits; specifies that screenings for specified medical disorders must be performed by state Public Health Laboratory, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed -SJ 00897

05/03/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 00985; Laid on Table,

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S 1312 (Continued)

05/03/01 SENATE Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53); See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1748 **GENERAL BILL by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare S 1674) Long-term Care; provides legislative findings re needs of state's elderly population; requests that Governor establish interagency panel to make recommendations for coordinating services provided by state agencies & increasing quality of care provided to elderly; requires AHCA & Elderly Affairs Dept. to improve enforcement of regulatory standards & adopt rules governing nursing homes &

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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S 1748 **(Continued)

assisted living facilities, etc. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/06/01 SENATE Filed

03/16/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00168

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

S 1674 GENERAL BILL by Latvala (Compare S 1748)

Assisted Living Facilities; directs DOI to study issues re liability insurance for such facilities & to report its findings to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/06/01 SENATE Filed

03/16/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on General Government; Appropriations -SJ 00164

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance

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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

- S 0006 **CLAIMS/GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar H 0241)
Relief/Minouche, Jean, & Flora Noel; provides for relief of Minouche Noel, minor, & her parents & natural guardians, Jean & Flora Noel, for injuries sustained due to negligence of Children's Medical Services of Dept. of Health & Rehabilitative Services; provides for use of such funds; provides for reversion to state. Claim with Appropriation: \$8,500,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/10/01 SENATE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by- Finance and Taxation; YEAS 7 NAYS 0 -SJ 00327
04/11/01 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00327
05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar
- H 0241 CLAIMS/GENERAL BILL by Cantens (Similar CS/S 0006)
Relief/Minouche, Jean, & Flora Noel; compensates Minouche Noel, a minor, & Jean & Flora Noel, parents & natural guardians of Minouche Noel, individually, for injuries & damages sustained due to negligence of Children's Medical Services of former Dept. of Health & Rehabilitative Services. Claim with Appropriation: \$8,500,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
02/06/01 HOUSE Referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council
03/06/01 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Claims (PRC); Procedural & Redistricting Council -HJ 00028
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Claims (PRC)
- S 0416 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare H 1591, S 2050)
Medicaid/Medically Needy Program; establishes medically needy income level; requires coverage for certain individuals awaiting for Medicare coverage; amends procedures re Medicaid buy-in program to provide medical assistance to specified category of individuals; directs AHCA to seek approval from Health Care Financing Admin. of specified methodology for calculating medical expenses under medically needy program, etc. Amends 409.904,.908,.914; creates 409.9045. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
03/21/01 SENATE CS read first time on 03/22/01 -SJ 00223
03/22/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00221
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services
- H 1591 GENERAL BILL by Romeo; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel (Identical S 2050, Compare CS/S 0416)
Health Insurance/Low Income Families; provides legislative intent

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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H 1591 (Continued)

to provide expanded access to health insurance for adults living in families whose income is at or below federal poverty level & to access federal funds for this coverage; creates Health Care Coverage Workgroup; authorizes AHCA to make payments for medical assistance for families & individuals whose income is at or below 133 percent of federal poverty level, etc. Amends 409.901,.904. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00313

03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Health Promotion (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council -HJ 00349

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Promotion (HCC)

S 2050

GENERAL BILL by Mitchell (Identical H 1591, Compare CS/S 0416)

Health Insurance/Low Income Families; provides legislative intent to provide expanded access to health insurance for adults living in families whose income is at or below federal poverty level & to access federal funds for this coverage; creates Health Care Coverage Workgroup; authorizes AHCA to make payments for medical assistance for families & individuals whose income is at or below 133 percent of federal poverty level, etc. Amends 409.901,.904. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

03/06/01 SENATE Filed

03/21/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Banking and Insurance; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00208

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance

S 0420 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite; (CO-SPONSORS) Klein (Identical CS/H 0133)

Pharmacy Discount Program; authorizes as new optional Medicaid service pharmacy discount program, to be administered by AHCA; directs AHCA to seek federal Medicaid waiver for said program; specifies program eligibility & eligibility determination; specifies means of deriving subsidy for program participants. Amends 409.906. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/04/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Governmental Oversight and Productivity, 04/05/01, 10:00 am, 37-S
--Temporarily postponed

04/12/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Governmental Oversight and Productivity, 04/17/01, 2:00 pm, 37-S --Temporarily postponed

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Governmental Oversight and Productivity

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H 0133 (Continued)

H 0133 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health Promotion (HCC); Argenziano;
(CO-SPONSORS) Kosmas; Fiorentino; Littlefield; Dockery; Bucher;
Russell (Identical CS/S 0420)

Pharmacy Discount Program; authorizes as new optional Medicaid
service pharmacy discount program, to be administered by AHCA;
directs AHCA to seek federal Medicaid waiver for said program;
specifies program eligibility & eligibility determination;
specifies means of deriving subsidy for program participants.
Amends 409.906. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

03/26/01 HOUSE Original reference(s) removed: Fiscal Policy &
Resources (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities;
CS referred to Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC);
Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC);
Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00350

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources
(FRC)

S 0684 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Cowin;
(CO-SPONSORS) Smith; Sullivan; Mitchell; Latvala (Compare 2ND
ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)

Organ Transplantation; provides for AHCA to create Organ Transplant
Task Force to study organ transplantation programs; requires task
force to study & make recommendations on necessity of issuance of
certificates of need for such programs & funding for organ
transplantation; provides date for task force to report to Governor
& Legislature. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00964

05/22/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/06/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-167; See
also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas;
(CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare
CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475,
CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011,
H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND
ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885,
CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST
ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836,
CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220,
CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442,
CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,
CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST
ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,
CS/S 2174)

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H 1867 (Continued)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch.

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06/19/01 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 0688 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 1879, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Health Care/Background Screening; requires AHCA to convene interagency workgroup to study issues pertaining to certain background screening requirements for health care professionals & owners, operators, & employees of certain health care providers, services, & programs; provides for composition of workgroup; requires report; abrogates repeal of provisions of law which require background screening of applicants for licensure, certification, or registration. Effective Date: 06/01/2001.
 05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
 05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 05/29/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-67; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 0475 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Murman; Lynn; Detert; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 0477, Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, Compare H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158)
Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; requires postnatal tests & screenings for infant metabolic disorders to be performed by State Public Health Laboratory; revises provisions re food service employee training programs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
 05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02049
 05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 05/23/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-53; See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1879 GENERAL BILL/CS by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 1881, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619,

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H 1641, S 0242, CS/S 0688, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, S 1372, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1726) Long-Term Care; requires ombudsman verification & reporting of nursing home staff on duty & posting thereof; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; limits actions against nursing homes & assisted living facilities; requires facility posting of Fla. Nursing Home Guide Watch List; provides performance review & inservice training requirements for certified nursing assistants, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00966; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -HJ 00966

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1726 (Ch. 2001-194)

S 1312 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Linked S 1314, Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0477, H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158) Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; revises provisions re pharmacy wholesaler permits; specifies that screenings for specified medical disorders must be performed by state Public Health Laboratory, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed -SJ 00897

05/03/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 00985; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53); See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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S 1558 (Continued)

CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000.

Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 0786 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz (Compare H 0315, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Opticianry; redefines term "opticianry" & defines term "contact lenses"; replaces references to term "medical doctor" with term "allopathic or osteopathic physician"; revises provisions prescribing violations & penalties applicable to practice of opticianry; revises inspection authority; amends provision re Criminal Punishment Code; provides offense severity ranking for offense of practicing opticianry without license. Amends Ch. 484, 921.0022. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary; Appropriations -SJ 00967; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 0315 GENERAL BILL by Kottkamp; (CO-SPONSORS) Greenstein; Green (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/S 0786, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Opticianry/Violations & Penalties; revises violations & penalties applicable to practice of opticianry; revises inspection authority; amends provision re Criminal Punishment Code to provide offense severity ranking for offense of practicing opticianry without

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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- H 0315 (Continued)
license. Amends 484.013,.015, 921.0022. Effective Date:
10/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on
Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas;
(CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare
CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475,
CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011,
H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND
ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885,
CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST
ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836,
CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220,
CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442,
CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,
CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST
ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,
CS/S 2174)
Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical
Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health
Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re
expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants;
allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication
not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician
Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective
Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803
05/03/01 SENATE In Messages
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch.
2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch.
2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836
(Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB
1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203),
CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch.
2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788
(Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB
2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250),
CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;
Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331,
CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003,
H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND
ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873,
CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666,

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S 1558 (Continued)

CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000.

Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2158 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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05/04/01 SENATE 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 0792 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare H 0483, CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, H 1355, 1ST ENG/H 1753, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, S 0440, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0904, 1ST ENG/S 0968, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/1ST ENG/S 1306, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2158) Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons & for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under program, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 240.4075, .4076, 408.036. Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
 05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 05/31/01 Governor vetoed specific Line Item(s); Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-104; See also CS/SB 904 (Ch. 2001-216), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

H 0483 GENERAL BILL by Wiles; (CO-SPONSORS) Justice; Cusack; Bendross-Mindingall; Joyner; Slosberg; Hogan; Brutus; Sobel; Gibson; Romeo; Rich; Crow; Frankel (Similar S 0440, Compare CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792) Medicaid Eligibility/Work Incentives; cites act as "Florida Ticket to Work & Work Incentives Act of 2001"; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; directs AHCA to seek federal grant, demonstration project, or waiver for establishment of such buy-in program, subject to specific appropriation. Amends 409.904. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
 04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)

H 0523 GENERAL BILL/CS by Colleges & Universities (LLC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Heyman; Waters (Similar 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

- H 0523 (Continued)
ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)
Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness; includes family practice teaching hospitals & specialty hospitals for children as eligible facilities under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; exempts such hospitals from fund-matching requirements of program; provides for priority of awards when there are insufficient funds for all eligible applicants, etc. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 0715 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health Promotion (HCC); Lerner; Gannon; (CO-SPONSORS) Detert; Ritter; Henriquez; Greenstein; Heyman; Rich; Weissman; Mahon; Frankel; Sobel; Seiler; Betancourt; Meadows; Ausley; Kosmas; Littlefield; Harrell; Atwater; Ryan; Bendross-Mindingall; Joyner; Cusack; Machek; Romeo; McGriff; Justice; Fiorentino; Bullard; Benson; Murman (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1306, Compare H 1355, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792)
Mary Brogan/Breast & Cervical Cancer; (THIS BILL COMBINES H715,1355) cites act as "Mary Brogan Breast & Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program"; authorizes specified breast & cervical cancer services to be rendered by DOH; provides for limits on service enrollment based on income; authorizes dept. to provide related services funded by other means; provides for Medicaid eligibility for certain women in need of treatment for said cancers, etc. Creates 381.93; amends 409.904. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Pending amendment adopted -HJ 01096
04/30/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52); See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104) -HJ 01428
- H 1355 GENERAL BILL by Gannon; (CO-SPONSORS) Ryan; Bendross-Mindingall; Joyner; Cusack; Machek; Romeo; McGriff; Justice; Sobel (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 1306)
Medicaid/Breast or Cervical Cancer; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/H715,1355) provides Medicaid eligibility for women diagnosed with breast or cervical cancer who meet certain criteria. Amends 409.904. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/03/01 HOUSE CS combines this bill with 715; CS by Health Promotion (HCC); YEAS 12 NAYS 0 -HJ 00505
04/10/01 HOUSE Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/HB 715 (Laid on Table in House); Refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52) -HJ 00505
- H 1753 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Maygarden

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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

H 1753 (Continued)

(Compare H 0743, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202) Health Care Administration Agency; deletes requirement to provide choice counseling to eligible applicants under Medikids program component; revises Medicaid eligibility requirements for certain elderly or disabled persons; authorizes payment for health insurance premiums of Medicaid-eligible individuals under certain circumstances; authorizes continued reimbursement of substance abuse treatment services on fee-for-service basis, etc. Amends Ch. 409; repeals 636.0145. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/04/01 SENATE In Messages

04/11/01 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00348

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

H 1843 GENERAL BILL by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Rich; Murman (Compare CS/H 0523, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Nursing; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; includes public schools, family practice teaching hospitals, & specialty hospitals for children as eligible facilities under program; provides requirements under program for students seeking to qualify for nursing faculty position & receive credit for work in position; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends Chs. 240, 464. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

H 1867 (Continued)

CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1885

GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Promotion (HCC); Littlefield (Similar CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00854; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00854

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1895

GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

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H 1895 (Continued)

Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories; prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872

S 0440 GENERAL BILL by Latvala (Similar H 0483, Compare CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792)

Medicaid Eligibility; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; directs AHCA to seek federal grant, demonstration project, or waiver for establishment of such buy-in program, subject to specific appropriation. Amends 409.904. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

03/14/01 SENATE Favorable by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; YEAS 9 NAYS 0 -SJ 00148

03/15/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services -SJ 00148

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)

S 0782 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Sanderson; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin (Similar CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Nursing Education; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; exempts such hospitals from fund-matching requirements of program; transfers program from Board of Regents to Health Dept. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 02045

05/04/01 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 0904 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Garcia;

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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

- S 0904 (Continued)
(CO-SPONSORS) Silver (Compare CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792)
Public Records/Medicaid/Drugs; provides exemption from public records law for certain records re supplemental drug rebates; provides exemption from public meetings law for certain portions of meetings of Medicaid Pharmaceutical & Therapeutics Committee; provides for future legislative review & repeal; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118
05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-216; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)
- S 0968 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Clary (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0339, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792)
Certificate of Need/Heart Surgery; requires certificate-of-need workgroup to address open heart surgery services in its report; requires final recommendations to be submitted by January 1, 2002; provides exemption from review for conversion of certain skilled nursing beds to acute care beds; provides for additional appointments to certificate-of-need workgroup; amends scope of responsibility for workgroup, etc. Amends 408.036,.039. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
05/02/01 SENATE Read third time -SJ 00831; House Bill substituted -SJ 00949; Laid on Table, refer to CS/HB 339 (Died in House Returning Messages); Refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)
- S 1202 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite; (CO-SPONSORS) Holzendorf (Linked S 1200, Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, 1ST ENG/H 1753, 3RD ENG/H 1861, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, S 1326, S 1372, CS/CS/S 1456, CS/1ST ENG/S 1848)
Long-term-care Facilities; clarifies duties of local ombudsman councils re inspections of nursing homes & long-term-care facilities; requires AHCA & Office of Attorney General to study use of electronic monitoring devices in nursing homes; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; prescribes limits on amount of punitive damages; provides for division of punitive damages, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$16,223,557. Effective Date: 05/15/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 02118
05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-45; See also SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), HB 1861 (Ch. 2001-205), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)
- S 1256 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar CS/H 0523, 1ST ENG/S 0782, Compare H 1843, 2ND

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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S 1256 (Continued)

ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Nursing Education; prohibits Board of Nursing from developing any rule re faculty/student clinical ratios until specified time; requires Board of Nursing & DOE to submit to Legislature implementation plan detailing impact & cost of any such proposed rule change; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program, etc. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/12/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-203; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1306 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sanderson; (CO-SPONSORS) Miller; Crist (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, Compare H 1355, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792)

Mary Brogan/Breast & Cervical Cancer; creates Mary Brogan Breast & Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program Act; authorizes Medicaid reimbursement for medical assistance provided to certain persons for treatment of breast or cervical cancer; requires DOH & AHCA to monitor expenditures under act; requires that certain services be limited if expenditures are projected to exceed appropriations; requires department to submit annual report to Legislature & Governor. Creates 381.93, 409.904. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/30/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00661

05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/23/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-52; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing

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S 1558 (Continued)

education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2092 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sanderson (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1885, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-222; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2158 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program

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S 2158 (Continued)

from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 0828 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Dyer (Compare H 0193)

Public-Sector Employee/Health Safety; requires Health Dept. to adopt certain standards applicable to all public-sector employers; requires compilation & maintenance of certain information by department for use by employers. Amends 381.003. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

H 0193 GENERAL BILL by Kosmas; (CO-SPONSORS) Green; Bucher; Rich; Sobel; Farkas; Fiorentino (Compare CS/S 0828)

Public Health Care Employees/Safety; requires that DOH adopt blood-borne-pathogen standard for public employees; requires use of needleless systems & sharps with engineered sharps injury protection; requires that incidents of exposure be recorded in sharps injury log; requires that department compile list of needleless systems & sharps with engineered sharps injury protection to assist employers in complying with department's standard, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

S 0840 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 0365, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)

Public Records/Health/Financial Info; provides exemption from public records requirements for identifying information & specified

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S 0840 **(Continued)

financial information in records re individual's health or eligibility for health-related services made or received by Health Dept. or its service providers; specifies conditions under which such information may be released; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 119.07. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/31/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-108; See also CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

H 0365 GENERAL BILL/CS by State Administration (SGC); Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Justice (Similar CS/S 0840, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146) Public Records/Health/Financial Info; provides exemption from public records requirements for identifying information & specified financial information in records re individual's health or eligibility for health-related services made or received by Health Dept. or its service providers; specifies conditions under which such information may be released; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 119.07. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00836

05/03/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108); See also CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222) -HJ 01856

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174) Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective

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H 1867 (Continued)

Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1885 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Promotion (HCC); Littlefield (Similar CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00854; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00854

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2092 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sanderson (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1885, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

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- S 2092 (Continued)
06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-222; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- S 2146 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Mitchell (Compare CS/H 0365, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2174)
Medical Records/Solicitation; provides legislative findings & intent; prohibits use of patient's medical records for purposes of solicitation & marketing without specific written release or authorization; provides for criminal penalties; requires DOI to adopt rules governing use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health information; provides standards for rules. Amends 456.057, 395.3025, 400.1415; creates 626.9651. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/02/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00829
05/02/01 HOUSE In Messages
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- S 0904 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Garcia; (CO-SPONSORS) Silver (Compare CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792)
Public Records/Medicaid/Drugs; provides exemption from public records law for certain records re supplemental drug rebates; provides exemption from public meetings law for certain portions of meetings of Medicaid Pharmaceutical & Therapeutics Committee; provides for future legislative review & repeal; provides statement of public necessity. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118
05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-216; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)
- S 0792 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare H 0483, CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, H 1355, 1ST ENG/H 1753, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, S 0440, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0904, 1ST ENG/S 0968, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/1ST ENG/S 1306, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2158)
Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons &

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S 0792 (Continued)

for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under program, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 240.4075, .4076, 408.036. Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/31/01 Governor vetoed specific Line Item(s); Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-104; See also CS/SB 904 (Ch. 2001-216), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

S 0924 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Webster; (CO-SPONSORS) Posey; Miller; Cowin; Latvala; Dawson; Diaz de la Portilla; Pruitt; Sebesta; Wasserman Schultz; Geller; Lawson (Similar H 0553)
Medical Practice/Ocular Postop.; provides additional ground for discipline of persons licensed under Medical Practice law or Osteopathic Medicine law. Amends 458.331, 459.015. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/30/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) failed -HJ 01395; Amendment pending --Temporarily postponed -HJ 01395

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

H 0553 GENERAL BILL by Haridopolos; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Harrell; Ritter; Rubio; Bense; Bilirakis; Murman; Negron; Atwater; Lacasa; Carassas; Bennett; Mahon; Trovillion; Slosberg; Romeo; Diaz de la Portilla (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0924)

Medical Practice/Ocular Postop.; provides that delegating ocular postoperative responsibilities to person who is not licensed physician or osteopathic physician constitutes grounds for disciplinary action; provides penalties. Amends 458.331, 459.015. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

03/20/01 HOUSE Favorable by Health Regulation (HCC); YEAS 9
NAYS 1 -HJ 00343

03/22/01 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00343

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC)

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- S 0962 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Diaz de la Portilla (Similar CS/H 0087)
Orthotics, Prosthetics, & Pedorthics; revises grandfathering requirements for licensure to practice orthotics, prosthetics, or pedorthics without meeting statutory educational requirements. Amends 468.805. Effective Date: 06/13/2001.
 05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118
 05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-217
- H 0087 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health Regulation (HCC); Meadows (Similar CS/S 0962)
Orthotics, Prosthetics, & Pedorthics; revises grandfathering requirements for licensure to practice orthotics, prosthetics, or pedorthics by extending period in which applicant must complete examination process. Amends 468.805. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
 03/19/01 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00199
 03/23/01 HOUSE Now in Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC) -HJ 00199
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 962 (Ch. 2001-217)
- S 1096 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar CS/H 0813, Compare CS/S 2158)
Ernest Belles Act; provides short title; defines term "pharmaceutical adverse incident" & requires that such incidents be reported to Health Dept.; provides exceptions; requires dept. to review reported incidents to determine whether incidents potentially involve conduct by health care practitioner that is subject to disciplinary action; specifies that any disciplinary action shall be taken by appropriate board; provides for adoption of rules & forms. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
 04/20/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations -SJ 00467; On Committee agenda-- Appropriations, 04/24/01, 1:00 pm, 412-K --Temporarily postponed
 05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations
- H 0813 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health Regulation (HCC); Justice (Similar CS/CS/S 1096, Compare CS/S 2158)
Pharmacists; defines term "pharmaceutical adverse incident" & requires that such incidents be reported to Health Dept.; provides that such incident reports are not discoverable or admissible in any civil or administrative action, except disciplinary proceedings; requires dept. to review reported incidents to determine if incidents potentially involve conduct by health care

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- H 0813 (Continued)
 practitioner that is subject to disciplinary action, etc. Creates 465.0165. Effective Date: Contingent.
 05/03/01 HOUSE CS read first time on 05/03/01 -HJ 01974; Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 01975
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died pending review of CS under Rule 6
- S 2158 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)
Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
 05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading
 05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)
- S 1128 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Latvala (Similar H 0653, Compare H 1077, S 1324, S 2176)
Access to Medical Treatment Act; creates said act; authorizes licensed physician to treat individual for life-threatening illness or condition by means of investigational medical treatment authorized by individual or individual's legal representative; specifies acts & disclosures that are required before physician may provide such treatment; provides that act does not modify scope of practice or provisions of practice act of licensees, etc. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
 05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
 05/22/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 06/06/01 Vetoed by Governor, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1324 (Ch. 2001-116)
- H 0653 GENERAL BILL by Bilirakis; (CO-SPONSORS) Diaz de la Portilla

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- H 0653 (Continued)
 (Similar CS/S 1128, Compare H 1077, S 1324, S 2176)
Access to Medical Treatment Act; creates said act; authorizes licensed physician to treat individual for life-threatening illness or condition by means of investigational medical treatment authorized by individual or individual's legal representative; specifies acts & disclosures that are required before physician may provide such treatment; provides that such treatment provided in compliance with act does not constitute unprofessional conduct. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
 04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1324 (Ch. 2001-116)
- H 1077 GENERAL BILL by Mack; (CO-SPONSORS) Bense; Haridopolos; Fiorentino; Melvin; Johnson; Alexander; Farkas; Miller; Bean; Green; Kilmer; Murman; Bilirakis (Identical S 1324, Similar S 2176, Compare H 0653, CS/S 1128)
Health Care/Alternative Treatment; authorizes provision of & access to complementary or alternative health care treatments; requires patients to be provided with certain information re such treatments; provides effect on practice acts; revises Fla. Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to include right to access any mode of treatment patient or patient's health care practitioner believes is in patient's best interests, etc. Creates 456.41; amends 381.026. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
 04/27/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 01216
 05/01/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1324 (Ch. 2001-116) -HJ 01519
- S 1324 GENERAL BILL by Peaden; (CO-SPONSORS) Brown-Waite; Clary; Klein (Identical H 1077, Similar S 2176, Compare H 0653, CS/S 1128)
Health Care/Alternative Treatment; authorizes provision of & access to complementary or alternative health care treatments; requires patients to be provided with certain information re such treatments; provides effect on practice acts; revises Fla. Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to include right to access any mode of treatment patient or patient's health care practitioner believes is in patient's best interests, etc. Creates 456.41; amends 381.026. Effective Date: 05/31/2001.
 05/01/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00792
 05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 05/31/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-116
- S 2176 GENERAL BILL by Clary (Similar H 1077, S 1324, Compare H 0653, CS/S 1128)
Health Care/Alternative Treatment; provides legislative intent re patients' access to complementary or alternative health care treatment, as defined; prescribes standards for communicating offer

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S 2176 (Continued)

of complementary or alternative health care treatment; requires keeping of certain records; includes access to complementary or alternative health care among rights to which patient is entitled. Creates 456.40; amends 381.026. Effective Date: Upon becoming law. 03/06/01 SENATE Filed

04/03/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00286

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1324 (Ch. 2001-116)

S 1202 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite; (CO-SPONSORS) Holzendorf (Linked S 1200, Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, 1ST ENG/H 1753, 3RD ENG/H 1861, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, S 1326, S 1372, CS/CS/S 1456, CS/1ST ENG/S 1848)

Long-term-care Facilities; clarifies duties of local ombudsman councils re inspections of nursing homes & long-term-care facilities; requires AHCA & Office of Attorney General to study use of electronic monitoring devices in nursing homes; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; prescribes limits on amount of punitive damages; provides for division of punitive damages, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$16,223,557. Effective Date: 05/15/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 02118

05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-45; See also SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), HB 1861 (Ch. 2001-205), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)

S 1200 GENERAL BILL by Brown-Waite (Linked CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, Compare H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881)

Public Records/Nursing Homes; provides exemption from public records law for certain records re internal risk-management programs in nursing homes & assisted living facilities; provides for release of such information under certain circumstances; provides exemption from public meetings law for meetings of internal risk-management & quality-assurance committees in nursing homes & assisted living facilities, etc. Effective Date: 05/15/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01256

05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

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- S 1200 (Continued)
05/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-44; See also CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)
- H 0605 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Gibson; Kravitz; (CO-SPONSORS) Byrd; Mahon; Fiorentino; Argenziano; Baker; Clarke; Frankel (Similar CS/CS/S 1456, Compare H 1641, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Florida Alzheimer's Training Act; creates said act; prescribes training standards for employees of nursing homes, home health agencies, nurse registries, hospice programs, adult day care centers, & adult family-care homes, respectively, that provide care for persons with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; prescribes duties of Elderly Affairs Dept.; provides rulemaking authority & timeframe for compliance, etc. Creates 400.1755,.4786,.55715,.626; amends 400.6045. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
05/02/01 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01623
05/02/01 SENATE In Messages
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)
- H 1353 GENERAL BILL by Kosmas (Compare H 1581, H 1641, CS/H 1879, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Nursing Homes; defines "isolated deficiency"; provides additional grounds for action by Health Care Administration Agency against licensee; specifies minimum staffing requirements for nursing homes; requires documentation & daily posting of staff on duty; revises provisions re classification of deficient practices; revises penalties; provides penalties for isolated deficiencies; corrects cross reference. Amends 400.021,.102,.23, 397.405. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/26/01 HOUSE Referred to Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Judicial Oversight (SGC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00346
03/27/01 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC), 03/29/01, 9:30 am, 214-C --Temporarily deferred
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)
- H 1581 GENERAL BILL by Frankel; (CO-SPONSORS) Gannon; Joyner; Brutus; Wilson; Cusack; Romeo; Holloway; Bullard; Gelber (Linked H 1619, Compare H 1353, H 1641, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Nursing Homes & Related Facilities; requires plan for quality assurance & risk management as condition for licensure; provides additional grounds for certain actions by AHCA against nursing home; requires each nursing home to maintain quality assessment & assurance committee; requires, rather than authorizing, license

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- H 1581 (Continued)
 suspension or revocation, or moratorium on admissions, under certain conditions, etc. Amends Chs. 400, 408, 458, 459.
 Appropriation: \$100,000,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
 03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00311
 03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Fiscal Responsibility Council -HJ 00349
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)
- H 1619 GENERAL BILL by Frankel (Linked H 1581, Compare H 1641, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Public Meetings/Nursing Homes; provides exemption from public meetings & public records requirements for nursing home governing board or committee meetings held solely for purpose of achieving internal risk management objectives; provides exemption from public records requirements for information contained in notification of adverse incident provided to AHCA by nursing home facility, & information & reports obtained by agency re such adverse incidents, etc. Amends Ch. 400. Effective Date: Contingent.
 03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00314
 03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); State Administration (SGC); Fiscal Responsibility Council -HJ 00349
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)
- H 1641 GENERAL BILL by Bennett (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881, S 0242, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, S 1326, CS/CS/S 1456, CS/1ST ENG/S 1848)
Long-term-care Facilities; clarifies duties of local ombudsman councils re inspections of nursing homes & long-term-care facilities; requires nursing home facility to permit electronic monitoring devices in resident's room; prescribes training standards for employees of nursing homes that provide care for persons with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; requires reporting of sexual abuse, etc. Amends Ch. 400, 464.201,.203, 397.405. Appropriation. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.
 03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00316
 03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00349
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

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H 1753 (Continued)

H 1753 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Maygarden (Compare H 0743, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202) Health Care Administration Agency; deletes requirement to provide choice counseling to eligible applicants under Medikids program component; revises Medicaid eligibility requirements for certain elderly or disabled persons; authorizes payment for health insurance premiums of Medicaid-eligible individuals under certain circumstances; authorizes continued reimbursement of substance abuse treatment services on fee-for-service basis, etc. Amends Ch. 409; repeals 636.0145. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/04/01 SENATE In Messages

04/11/01 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00348

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

H 1861 TRUST FUND/GENERAL BILL/3RD ENG by Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Green (Compare CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202) Quality of Long-Term Care Facility; creates Quality of Long-Term Care Facility Improvement Trust Fund within AHCA; provides for sources of funds & purposes; provides for annual carryforward of funds; provides for future review & termination or re-creation of trust fund. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02266

05/30/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/12/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-205; See also CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

H 1879 GENERAL BILL/CS by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 1881, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, S 0242, CS/S 0688, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, S 1372, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1726) Long-Term Care; requires ombudsman verification & reporting of nursing home staff on duty & posting thereof; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; limits actions against nursing homes & assisted living facilities; requires facility posting of Fla. Nursing Home Guide Watch List; provides performance review & inservice training requirements for certified nursing assistants, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00966; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -HJ 00966

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202

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- H 1879 (Continued)
05/04/01 HOUSE (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1726 (Ch. 2001-194)
- H 1881 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman (Linked CS/H 1879, Compare H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/S 1726)
Public Records/Nursing Homes; provides exemption from public records law for certain records re internal risk management programs in nursing homes & assisted living facilities; provides exemption from public meetings law for meetings of internal risk management & quality assurance committees in nursing homes & assisted living facilities; provides for confidentiality & exemption from said law for information re clients of Elderly Affairs Dept., etc. Creates 430.105. Effective Date: Contingent.
04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00783; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00783
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1726 (Ch. 2001-194)
- S 0792 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare H 0483, CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, H 1355, 1ST ENG/H 1753, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, S 0440, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0904, 1ST ENG/S 0968, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/1ST ENG/S 1306, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2158)
Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons & for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under program, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 240.4075,.4076, 408.036. Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/31/01 Governor vetoed specific Line Item(s); Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-104; See also CS/SB 904 (Ch. 2001-216), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)
- S 1326 GENERAL BILL by Saunders (Compare H 1641, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Nursing Home Facilities/License Fee; increases basic license fee for nursing home facilities; requires quality-of-care monitors to conduct periodic visits to each nursing home facility. Amends 400.062,.118. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/06/01 SENATE Filed
03/14/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term

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- S 1326 (Continued)
03/14/01 SENATE Care; Finance and Taxation; Appropriations
Subcommittee on Health and Human Services;
Appropriations -SJ 00142
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term
Care, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to
CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)
- S 1372 GENERAL BILL by Cowin; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Compare CS/H 1879,
CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Person with Developmental Disability; reenacts specified provision
to ratify prior changes that removed licensure requirement for
comprehensive transitional educational programs. Reenacts 400.962.
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/11/01 SENATE Passed; YEAS 35 NAYS 0 -SJ 00318
04/12/01 HOUSE In Messages
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)
- S 1456 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term
Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Campbell; Pruitt; Smith;
Latvala; Dawson; Brown-Waite; Wasserman Schultz; Crist (Similar
CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, Compare H 1641, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Florida Alzheimer's Training Act; creates said act; prescribes
training standards for employees of nursing homes, home health
agencies, adult day care centers, & adult family-care homes,
respectively, that provide care for persons with Alzheimer's
disease or related disorders; prescribes duties of Elderly Affairs
Dept.; requires dementia-specific care providers to be included in
community care service systems, etc. Creates
400.1755,.4786,.55715,.626. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/24/01 SENATE CS read first time on 04/25/01 -SJ 00472
04/25/01 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00467
05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)
- S 1848 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;
Brown-Waite (Compare H 1641, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Public Rec./Nursing Home/Liability; provides exemption from
public-records law for reports of liability claims involving
nursing homes & assisted living facilities that are provided to
AHCA as required by law; provides finding of public necessity.
Effective Date: Contingent.
05/02/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 00798
05/02/01 HOUSE In Messages
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

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S 1208 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Latvala (Similar H 1373, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, CS/CS/S 1960)

Health Insurance; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act; revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; authorizes association to place individual with case manager who determines health care system or provider; requires insurers to be members of association & to be subject to assessments for operating expenses; makes legislative finding that provisions of this act fulfill important state interest, etc. Amends Ch. 627. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/18/01 SENATE Favorable by- Finance and Taxation; YEAS 6

NAYS 0 -SJ 00423

04/19/01 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00423

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar

H 1373 GENERAL BILL by Green (Similar CS/CS/S 1208, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, CS/CS/S 1960)

Health Insurance; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act; revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; authorizes association to place individual with case manager who determines health care system or provider; requires insurers to be members of association & to be subject to assessments for operating expenses; revises coverage, benefits, covered expenses, premiums, & deductibles of assn., etc. Amends Ch. 627. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/20/01 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Insurance (CCC); YEAS 12 NAYS 0 -HJ 00551

04/23/01 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00551

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC)

S 1210 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Latvala (Similar CS/CS/S 1960, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1373, 1ST ENG/H 1439, CS/CS/S 1208)

Health Insurance; requires certain group certificates for health insurance coverage to be subject to requirements for individual health insurance policies; revises requirements for filing & approval of individual health insurance rates; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act; revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; provides for cessation of coverage, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 641.31; repeals 627.6484. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

S 1960 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Latvala; King (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, Compare 1ST

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S 1960 (Continued)

ENG/H 0159, CS/2ND ENG/H 1253, H 1261, H 1373, 1ST ENG/H 1439, CS/CS/S 1208, S 1760)

Health Care; (THIS BILL COMBINES S1960,1760) provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; revises grounds for disapproval of insurance policy forms; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act & revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; revises coverage, benefits, covered expenses, premiums, & deductibles of association, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 641.31. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Read second time -SJ 01191

05/04/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 01362; Laid on Table, refer to CS/HB 1253 (Died in House Returning Messages)

S 1256 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar CS/H 0523, 1ST ENG/S 0782, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Nursing Education; prohibits Board of Nursing from developing any rule re faculty/student clinical ratios until specified time; requires Board of Nursing & DOE to submit to Legislature implementation plan detailing impact & cost of any such proposed rule change; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program, etc. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/12/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-203; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 0523 GENERAL BILL/CS by Colleges & Universities (LLC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Heyman; Waters (Similar 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness; includes family practice teaching hospitals & specialty hospitals for children as eligible facilities under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; exempts such hospitals from fund-matching requirements of program; provides for priority of awards when there are insufficient funds for all eligible applicants, etc. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on

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- H 0523 (Continued)
04/27/01 HOUSE Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- S 0782 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Sanderson; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin (Similar CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Nursing Education; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; exempts such hospitals from fund-matching requirements of program; transfers program from Board of Regents to Health Dept. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/04/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 02045
05/04/01 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 1843 GENERAL BILL by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Rich; Murman (Compare CS/H 0523, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Nursing; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; includes public schools, family practice teaching hospitals, & specialty hospitals for children as eligible facilities under program; provides requirements under program for students seeking to qualify for nursing faculty position & receive credit for work in position; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends Chs. 240, 464. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

H 1867 (Continued)

ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1895 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories; prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 0792 (Continued)

S 0792 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare H 0483, CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, H 1355, 1ST ENG/H 1753, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, S 0440, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0904, 1ST ENG/S 0968, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/1ST ENG/S 1306, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2158) Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons & for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under program, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 240.4075, .4076, 408.036. Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/31/01 Governor vetoed specific Line Item(s); Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-104; See also CS/SB 904 (Ch. 2001-216), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174) Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch.

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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S 1558 (Continued)

06/19/01 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2158 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 1258 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Children and Families; Mitchell (Similar CS/H 1073, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1799, CS/CS/S 1346)

Substance Abuse & Mental Health; authorizes CFS Dept., in consultation with AHCA, to establish children's behavioral crisis unit demonstration models to provide integrated emergency mental health & substance abuse services to persons under 18 yrs. of age at facilities licensed as children's crisis stabilization units; permits CFS Dept. & AHCA to contract for establishment of two behavioral health service delivery strategies, etc. Amends Chs. 394, 397, 409. Effective Date: 06/08/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01500

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 1258 *(Continued)

05/24/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/08/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-191; See
also CS/CS/SB 1346 (Ch. 2001-171)

H 1073 GENERAL BILL/CS by Child & Family Security (HCC); Murman;
(CO-SPONSORS) Argenziano; Detert; Sobel; Fiorentino (Similar
CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1258, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1799, CS/CS/S 1346)
Behavioral Health Care Service; provides legislative intent re
accreditation & cost-efficiency of substance abuse & mental health
service providers; defines term "behavioral health care services";
requires accreditation of certain entities to be accepted in lieu
of licensure, administrative, & program monitoring requirements;
requires establishment of interagency workgroup to report on state
substance abuse & mental health master plan, etc. Amends Chs. 394,
397, 409. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill
substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare
passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1258 (Ch. 2001-191); See
also CS/CS/SB 1346 (Ch. 2001-171) -HJ 00867

H 1799 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Child & Family Security (HCC); Detert;
(CO-SPONSORS) Fiorentino; Green; Clarke (Similar CS/CS/S 1346,
Compare CS/H 1073, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 1258)
Children's Behavioral Crisis Unit; authorizes CFS Dept, in
consultation with AHCA, to establish children's behavioral crisis
unit demonstration models to provide integrated emergency mental
health & substance abuse services to persons under 18 years of age
at facilities licensed as children's crisis stabilization units;
provides legislative intent re accreditation & cost-efficiency of
substance abuse & mental health service providers, etc. Amends Chs.
394, 397, 411, 403. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00857; Amendment(s) adopted
-HJ 00857

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/CS/SB 1346 (Ch. 2001-171), CS/CS/SB
1258 (Ch. 2001-191)

S 1346 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Children and Families;
Saunders (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1799, Compare CS/H 1073, CS/CS/2ND
ENG/S 1258)
Behavioral Health Care Services; provides legislative intent;
requires AHCA & CFS Dept. to accept accreditation in lieu of their
administrative & program monitoring under certain circumstances;
requires AHCA & CFS Dept. to accept accreditation in lieu of their
onsite licensure reviews; conforms provisions; authorizes CFS
Dept., in consultation with AHCA, to establish children's
behavioral crisis unit demonstration models, etc. Amends Chs. 394,
397. Effective Date: 06/06/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/22/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

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S 1346 (Continued)

06/06/01

Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-171; See also CS/CS/SB 1258 (Ch. 2001-191)

S 1272 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Regulated Industries; Burt; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist
Consumer Services; authorizes DBPR to seek restitution in civil action for injured consumer; prohibits employment agencies & assistance referral services from charging advance fees & not providing promised services; prohibits unconscionable pricing during ordered evacuation as well as declared state of emergency; prohibits credit service organizations from accepting money in advance of performing services, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/10/01 SENATE CS read first time on 04/12/01 -SJ 00360
04/12/01 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00357
05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar

S 1306 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sanderson; (CO-SPONSORS) Miller; Crist (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, Compare H 1355, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792)
Mary Brogan/Breast & Cervical Cancer; creates Mary Brogan Breast & Cervical Cancer Early Detection Program Act; authorizes Medicaid reimbursement for medical assistance provided to certain persons for treatment of breast or cervical cancer; requires DOH & AHCA to monitor expenditures under act; requires that certain services be limited if expenditures are projected to exceed appropriations; requires department to submit annual report to Legislature & Governor. Creates 381.93, 409.904. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/30/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00661
05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/23/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-52; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)

H 0715 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health Promotion (HCC); Lerner; Gannon; (CO-SPONSORS) Detert; Ritter; Henriquez; Greenstein; Heyman; Rich; Weissman; Mahon; Frankel; Sobel; Seiler; Betancourt; Meadows; Ausley; Kosmas; Littlefield; Harrell; Atwater; Ryan; Bendross-Mindingall; Joyner; Cusack; Machek; Romeo; McGriff; Justice; Fiorentino; Bullard; Benson; Murman (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1306, Compare H 1355, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792)
Mary Brogan/Breast & Cervical Cancer; (THIS BILL COMBINES H715,1355) cites act as "Mary Brogan Breast & Cervical Cancer Early

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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H 0715 (Continued)

Detection Program"; authorizes specified breast & cervical cancer services to be rendered by DOH; provides for limits on service enrollment based on income; authorizes dept. to provide related services funded by other means; provides for Medicaid eligibility for certain women in need of treatment for said cancers, etc.

Creates 381.93; amends 409.904. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Pending amendment adopted -HJ 01096

04/30/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52); See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104) -HJ 01428

H 1355 GENERAL BILL by Gannon; (CO-SPONSORS) Ryan; Bendross-Mindingall; Joyner; Cusack; Machek; Romeo; McGriff; Justice; Sobel (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 1306)

Medicaid/Breast or Cervical Cancer; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/H715,1355) provides Medicaid eligibility for women diagnosed with breast or cervical cancer who meet certain criteria. Amends 409.904. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/03/01 HOUSE CS combines this bill with 715; CS by Health Promotion (HCC); YEAS 12 NAYS 0 -HJ 00505

04/10/01 HOUSE Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/HB 715 (Laid on Table in House); Refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52) -HJ 00505

S 0792 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare H 0483, CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, H 1355, 1ST ENG/H 1753, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, S 0440, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0904, 1ST ENG/S 0968, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/1ST ENG/S 1306, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2158) Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons & for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under program, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 240.4075, .4076, 408.036. Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/31/01 Governor vetoed specific Line Item(s); Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-104; See also CS/SB 904 (Ch. 2001-216), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 1312 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Linked S 1314, Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0477, H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158) Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; revises provisions re pharmacy wholesaler permits; specifies that screenings for specified medical disorders must be performed by state Public Health Laboratory, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed -SJ 00897

05/03/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 00985; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53); See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1314 GENERAL BILL by Saunders (Linked CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, Similar 1ST ENG/H 0477, Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0141, CS/H 0415, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0138)

Public Records/Parents ID/Newborns; provides exemption from public records requirements for information that identifies parents who leave newborn infants at emergency medical services stations; provides exception; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 383.51. Effective Date: Contingent.

05/03/01 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00991

05/04/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 01295; Laid on Table, refer to HB 477 (Died in House Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 141 (Ch. 2001-3)

H 0475 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Murman; Lynn; Detert; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 0477, Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, Compare H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158) Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; requires postnatal tests & screenings for infant metabolic disorders to be performed by State Public Health Laboratory; revises provisions re food service employee training programs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02049

05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/23/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-53; See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67),

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- H 0475 (Continued)
05/23/01 CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 0477 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander (Linked CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, Similar S 1314, Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0141, CS/H 0415, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 0138, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312)
Public Records/Parents ID/Newborns; provides exemption from public records requirements for information that identifies parents who leave newborn infants at emergency medical services stations; provides exception; provides exemption from public records requirements for information contained in Paternity Registry; provides for future legislative review & repeal; provides findings of public necessity. Amends 383.51. Effective Date: Contingent.
05/04/01 SENATE Passed as amended; YEAS 33 NAYS 1 -SJ 01295
05/04/01 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/HB 141 (Ch. 2001-3)
- H 1075 GENERAL BILL by Negron (Identical S 0702, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312)
Consent to Medical Care of Minor; provides that power of attorney to provide consent to medical care or treatment of minor includes power to consent to surgical & general anesthesia services. Amends 743.0645. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/08/01 HOUSE Filed; Introduced -HJ 00157; Withdrawn from further cons., Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53) -HJ 00154
- H 1471 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Alexander (Identical CS/S 1902, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312)
Food Service Employee Training; revises provisions re food service employee training programs; provides for audits & revocation of training program approval; provides rulemaking authority; repeals provision re special transfer restrictions & transfer fees pertaining to alcoholic beverage licenses issued after specified date. Amends 509.049; repeals 561.32(6). Effective Date: 06/15/2001.
05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 02593
06/01/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-257; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53)
- H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442,

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CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

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05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1879 GENERAL BILL/CS by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 1881, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, S 0242, CS/S 0688, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, S 1372, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1726)

Long-Term Care; requires ombudsman verification & reporting of nursing home staff on duty & posting thereof; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; limits actions against nursing homes & assisted living facilities; requires facility posting of Fla. Nursing Home Guide Watch List; provides performance review & inservice training requirements for certified nursing assistants, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00966; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -HJ 00966

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1726 (Ch. 2001-194)

H 1895 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055,

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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H 1895 (Continued)

H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories; prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872

S 0362 GENERAL BILL by Saunders (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312)

Florida Patient's Bill of Rights; replaces references to "physical handicap" with term "handicap" re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities. Amends 381.026. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

03/21/01 SENATE Favorable by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;

YEAS 10 NAYS 0 -SJ 00221

03/22/01 SENATE Now in Judiciary -SJ 00221

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53)

S 0688 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 1879, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)

Health Care/Background Screening; requires AHCA to convene interagency workgroup to study issues pertaining to certain background screening requirements for health care professionals & owners, operators, & employees of certain health care providers, services, & programs; provides for composition of workgroup; requires report; abrogates repeal of provisions of law which require background screening of applicants for licensure, certification, or registration. Effective Date: 06/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/29/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-67; See also

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 0688 (Continued)

05/29/01 CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 0702 GENERAL BILL by Saunders (Identical H 1075, Compare CS/2ND
ENG/H 0475, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312)Consent to Medical Care of Minor; provides that power of attorney
to provide consent to medical care or treatment of minor includes
power to consent to surgical & general anesthesia services. Amends
743.0645. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.03/21/01 SENATE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Health, Aging and
Long-Term Care; YEAS 10 NAYS 0 -SJ 00221

03/22/01 SENATE Now in Judiciary -SJ 00221

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Judiciary,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475
(Ch. 2001-53)S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;
Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331,
CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003,
H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND
ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873,
CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666,
CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND
ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND
ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST
ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,
CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST
ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,
CS/S 2174)Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical
Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health
Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation
of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing
education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe
any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician
Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000.
Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See
also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch.
2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch.
2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792
(Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB
1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276),
CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch.
2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110
(Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB
2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1902 GENERAL BILL/CS by Regulated Industries; Constantine (Identical

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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S 1902 (Continued)

1ST ENG/H 1471, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312) Food Service Employee Training; revises provisions re food service employee training programs; provides for audits & revocation of training program approval; provides rulemaking authority; repeals provision re special transfer restrictions & transfer fees pertaining to alcoholic beverage licenses issued after specified date. Amends 509.049; repeals 561.32(6). Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

05/03/01 SENATE Placed on Special Order Calendar -SJ 00951; House Bill substituted -SJ 01162; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257); See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53)

S 2158

GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 1404 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Meek (Similar H 1345)

Program in Medical Sciences (PIMS); provides legislative intent re establishing PIMS at FAMU, in affiliation with University of Florida College of Medicine; provides for students admitted to program to transfer to said college; provides for program to recruit students to serve areas in state that lack sufficient medical services; requires that memorandum of understanding be

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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S 1404 **(Continued)

submitted to Governor & presiding officers of Legislature, etc.

Appropriation: \$250,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/09/01 SENATE Favorable by Education; YEAS 8 NAYS 0 -SJ 00326

04/10/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations Subcommittee on Education
-SJ 00326

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations Subcommittee on
Education

H 1345 GENERAL BILL by Wilson (Similar CS/S 1404)

Program in Medical Sciences (PIMS); expands PIMS to include FAMU,
which shall offer first year of medical education for students in
program; specifies minimum number of students to be accepted into
program; provides for students to transfer to certain other
universities upon completion of first year of study; provides for
program to recruit students to serve areas in state that lack
sufficient medical services. Appropriation: \$1,000,000. Effective
Date: Upon becoming law.

03/26/01 HOUSE Referred to Colleges & Universities (LLC); Fiscal
Responsibility Council; Council for Lifelong
Learning -HJ 00346

04/06/01 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- Colleges & Universities
(LLC), 04/10/01, 9:45 am, Reed Hall --Not
considered

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Colleges & Universities (LLC)

S 1456 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term
Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Campbell; Pruitt; Smith;
Latvala; Dawson; Brown-Waite; Wasserman Schultz; Crist (Similar
CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, Compare H 1641, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)

Florida Alzheimer's Training Act; creates said act; prescribes
training standards for employees of nursing homes, home health
agencies, adult day care centers, & adult family-care homes,
respectively, that provide care for persons with Alzheimer's
disease or related disorders; prescribes duties of Elderly Affairs
Dept.; requires dementia-specific care providers to be included in
community care service systems, etc. Creates

400.1755,.4786,.55715,.626. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/24/01 SENATE CS read first time on 04/25/01 -SJ 00472

04/25/01 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00467

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

H 0605 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Gibson;
Kravitz; (CO-SPONSORS) Byrd; Mahon; Fiorentino; Argenziano; Baker;
Clarke; Frankel (Similar CS/CS/S 1456, Compare H 1641,
CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)

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H 0605 (Continued)

Florida Alzheimer's Training Act; creates said act; prescribes training standards for employees of nursing homes, home health agencies, nurse registries, hospice programs, adult day care centers, & adult family-care homes, respectively, that provide care for persons with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; prescribes duties of Elderly Affairs Dept.; provides rulemaking authority & timeframe for compliance, etc. Creates 400.1755, .4786, .55715, .626; amends 400.6045. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

05/02/01 HOUSE CS passed as amended; YEAS 118 NAYS 0 -HJ 01623

05/02/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

H 1641 GENERAL BILL by Bennett (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881, S 0242, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, S 1326, CS/CS/S 1456, CS/1ST ENG/S 1848) Long-term-care Facilities; clarifies duties of local ombudsman councils re inspections of nursing homes & long-term-care facilities; requires nursing home facility to permit electronic monitoring devices in resident's room; prescribes training standards for employees of nursing homes that provide care for persons with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; requires reporting of sexual abuse, etc. Amends Ch. 400, 464.201, .203, 397.405. Appropriation. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00316

03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Fiscal Policy & Resources (FRC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00349

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

S 1202 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite; (CO-SPONSORS) Holzendorf (Linked S 1200, Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, 1ST ENG/H 1753, 3RD ENG/H 1861, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, S 1326, S 1372, CS/CS/S 1456, CS/1ST ENG/S 1848)

Long-term-care Facilities; clarifies duties of local ombudsman councils re inspections of nursing homes & long-term-care facilities; requires AHCA & Office of Attorney General to study use of electronic monitoring devices in nursing homes; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; prescribes limits on amount of punitive damages; provides for division of punitive damages, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$16,223,557. Effective Date: 05/15/2001 except as

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 1202 (Continued)

otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 02118

05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-45; See also
SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), HB 1861 (Ch. 2001-205),
CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)S 1476 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Dawson
(Similar H 0679, Compare S 2262)Florida Kidcare Act; defines term "Florida Kidcare program";
revises criteria for Kidcare program components; extends period
that child is eligible for coverage without redetermination of
eligibility; provides for state funding of Kidcare program;
requires uniform & joint administration of program implementation;
requires joint development of plan for Kidcare eligibility
determinations & plan implementation by date certain, etc. Amends
Ch. 409, 624.91. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/10/01 SENATE CS read first time on 04/12/01 -SJ 00361

04/12/01 SENATE Now in Banking and Insurance -SJ 00356

H 0679 05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Banking and Insurance
GENERAL BILL by Lerner; Rich; (CO-SPONSORS) Ritter; Henriquez;
Greenstein; Sobel; Romeo; Weissman; McGriff; Joyner;
Bendross-Mindingall; Gelber; Seiler; Betancourt; Meadows; Jennings;
Ausley; Frankel; Barreiro (Similar CS/S 1476, Compare S 2262)
Florida Kidcare Act; deletes references to Medikids program
components; revises criteria for Kidcare program components;
deletes obsolete provisions; provides for state funding of Kidcare
program; requires uniform & joint administration of Kidcare program
implementation; requires joint development of plan for Kidcare
eligibility determinations & plan implementation by date certain,
etc. Amends Ch. 409, 624.91. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.03/02/01 HOUSE Referred to Health Promotion (HCC); Insurance
(CCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations
(FRC); Council for Healthy Communities03/06/01 HOUSE Introduced, referred to Health Promotion (HCC);
Insurance (CCC); Health & Human Services
Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy
Communities -HJ 00057S 2262 05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Promotion (HCC)
GENERAL BILL by Garcia (Compare H 0679, CS/S 1476)
Social & Economic Assistance; provides for Kidcare enrollment of
certain immigrant children not eligible for specified federal
programs; requires state medical assistance program for certain
immigrants not eligible for federal Medicaid benefits; requires

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 2262 (Continued)

state food stamp program for certain immigrants not eligible for federal food stamp program. Amends 409.814, 414.31; creates 409.9041. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/11/01 SENATE Introduced, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Children and Families; Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00330

04/12/01 SENATE On Committee agenda-- Health, Aging and Long-Term Care, 04/17/01, 2:00 pm, 110-S --Temporarily postponed

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care

S 1520 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Constantine (Identical H 1415)

Medicaid/Environmental Modification; provides for Medicaid enrollment of licensed general, building, & residential contractors as providers of environmental modification services for Medicaid recipients under any home & community-based services waiver program; provides definition. Creates 409.9072. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

03/28/01 SENATE CS read first time on 03/29/01 -SJ 00276

03/29/01 SENATE Now in Children and Families -SJ 00271

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Children and Families

H 1415 GENERAL BILL by Kallinger; (CO-SPONSORS) Bense; Baxley; Clarke; Fiorentino (Identical CS/S 1520)

Medicaid/Environmental Modification; provides for Medicaid enrollment of licensed general, building, & residential contractors as providers of environmental modification services for Medicaid recipients under any home & community-based services waiver program; provides definition. Creates 409.9072. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed; YEAS 120 NAYS 0 -HJ 01696

05/02/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages

S 1558 **GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873,

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S 1558 **(Continued)

CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 0159 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Rubio; Benson; (CO-SPONSORS) Negron; Harrell; Barreiro; Prieguez; Waters; Diaz-Balart; Cusack; Lerner; Diaz de la Portilla; Slosberg; Sobel; Murman (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 1253, H 1261, 1ST ENG/H 1439, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, S 1464, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, CS/CS/S 1960)

Health Maintenance Organizations; provides licensure requirement for physician who renders adverse determination re services provided by another state-licensed physician; eliminates authority of certain out-of-state physicians to render such determinations; provides additional experience requirements & limitation for out-of-state groups; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons, etc. Amends Chs. 627, 641. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) failed -HJ 01305

05/02/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173); See also CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277) -HJ 01821

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H 0235 (Continued)

H 0235 GENERAL BILL by Prieguez; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)

Dental Service Claims/Appeals; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations; provides procedures, requirements, & definition. Amends 627.419. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176); See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277) -HJ 01081

H 0315 GENERAL BILL by Kottkamp; (CO-SPONSORS) Greenstein; Green (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/S 0786, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Opticianry/Violations & Penalties; revises violations & penalties applicable to practice of opticianry; revises inspection authority; amends provision re Criminal Punishment Code to provide offense severity ranking for offense of practicing opticianry without license. Amends 484.013,.015, 921.0022. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 0331 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health Regulation (HCC); Baxley; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel (Identical 1ST ENG/S 0666, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)

Physician Assistants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants; allows authorized physician assistants to dispense drug samples pursuant to proper prescription; eliminates formulary committee & revises provisions re creation & amendment of formulary, to conform. Amends 458.347, 459.022. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 0475 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Murman; Lynn; Detert; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 0477, Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, Compare H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158)

Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; requires postnatal tests & screenings for infant metabolic disorders to be performed by

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- H 0475 (Continued)
State Public Health Laboratory; revises provisions re food service employee training programs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02049
05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/23/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-53; See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 0523 GENERAL BILL/CS by Colleges & Universities (LLC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Heyman; Waters (Similar 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)
Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness; includes family practice teaching hospitals & specialty hospitals for children as eligible facilities under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; exempts such hospitals from fund-matching requirements of program; provides for priority of awards when there are insufficient funds for all eligible applicants, etc. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 0725 GENERAL BILL by Sobel; (CO-SPONSORS) Greenstein; Lee; Henriquez; Gottlieb; Weissman; Gannon; Green; Holloway; Wilson; Fields (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, S 1570, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Interscholastic Athletics; requires Fla. High School Activities Association to adopt bylaws which require students participating in interscholastic athletic competition or who are candidates for interscholastic athletic team to satisfactorily pass medical evaluation prior to participating in said competition or engaging in practice with interscholastic athletic team; provides requirements re such evaluation. Amends 232.61. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/22/01 HOUSE Now in Health Regulation (HCC) -HJ 00344
03/26/01 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- Health Regulation (HCC), 03/27/01, 10:15 am, Morris Hall --Temporarily deferred
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 0985 GENERAL BILL by Justice; Wiles; (CO-SPONSORS) Stansel; Siplin; Farkas; Littlefield; Needelman; Bean; Gibson; Machek; McGriff; Gelber; Ausley; Henriquez; Cusack; Joyner; Gannon; Sobel; Weissman; Davis; Rich; Romeo; Bullard; Bucher; Baxley; Lacasa; Holloway;

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- H 0985 (Continued)
 Wilson; Bilirakis; Wishner (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)
Med. Records/Solicitation/Marketing; prohibits use of patient's medical records for purposes of solicitation & marketing; provides for discipline, injunctive relief, & fines. Amends 456.057. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
 04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)
- H 1003 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Paul; (CO-SPONSORS) Green; Bense; Rubio; Waters; Heyman; Gelber; Atwater; Harrell; Richardson; Murman (Similar CS/S 0634, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Nursing Homes/Vaccinations; prescribes duties of nursing homes re influenza & pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccinations; provides rulemaking authority. Amends 400.141. Effective Date: 05/11/2001.
 04/20/01 HOUSE Ordered enrolled -HJ 00536
 04/27/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor -HJ 01390
 05/11/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-42; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 1011 GENERAL BILL by Cusack (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568)
Physicians/Adverse Determinations; revises physicians authorized to render adverse determinations. Amends 641.51. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
 03/12/01 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00193
 03/21/01 HOUSE Withdrawn from Health Regulation (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Council for Healthy Communities; Withdrawn from further cons., Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173) -HJ 00203
- H 1217 GENERAL BILL by Kendrick (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
FRS/Medicaid Fraud Control Unit; deletes restriction on inclusion of investigators employed by Medicaid Fraud Control Unit in Special Risk Class of Florida Retirement System. Amends 409.9205. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
 04/03/01 HOUSE Favorable by State Administration (SGC); YEAS 5 NAYS 0 -HJ 00455; Now in Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC) -HJ 00455
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Crime Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC), Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch.

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- H 1217 (Continued)
05/04/01 HOUSE 2001-277)
- H 1219 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Brown (Similar CS/S 2174, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)
Insurance Agents; requires DOI to adopt rules to govern use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health info by health insurers & HMOs; requires maintenance of separate records re insurance products & transactions; describes activities which constitute solicitation of insurance requiring licensure as insurance agent; revises agent application requirements; requires fingerprinting of certain persons, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 648. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01274
05/02/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142); See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222) -HJ 01694
- H 1371 GENERAL BILL by Betancourt; (CO-SPONSORS) Lerner; Kravitz; Siplin; Sobel; Littlefield; Murman; Rich; Gelber; Green; Romeo; Benson; Justice (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110)
Optional Medicaid Services/Dental; restricts Medicaid reimbursement for adult denture & children's dental services rendered in mobile dental unit. Amends 409.906. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223)
- H 1403 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Meador; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)
Health Care; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses; requires specified health care providers, health care practitioners, & health care facilities to comply with patient requests for pain management & palliative care, etc. Amends Chs. 456, 458, 459, 765. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176)

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H 1543 (Continued)

H 1543 GENERAL BILL by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Ritter; Alexander; Fiorentino; Siplin; Johnson (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Health Care Practitioner/Credentials; provides intent; revises & provides definitions; revises duties of Health Dept. re file maintenance; provides that primary source data verified by department or its designee may be relied upon to meet accreditation purposes. Amends 456.047. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1607 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Bennett (Similar 2ND ENG/S 1220, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0457, CS/H 1101, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1816, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174) Insurance; provides construction & purposes; specifies application to certain persons & entities; provides for tolling certain time limitations in certain actions; imposes liability on certain persons or entities for certain actions; provides procedures & requirements for closing estate; provides for establishing financial responsibility re damages arising out of operation of certain vehicles; provides premium tax exemption, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.
04/30/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 117 NAYS 0 -HJ 01425
04/30/01 SENATE In Messages
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1819 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Brown; Negron; Wiles; Simmons; McGriff; Melvin; Berfield; Kallinger; Lee; Fields; Ross; Sobel; Wishner; Farkas (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1567, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, S 1464, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1910) Insurance/Public Records Illegal Use; provides criminal penalty for use of certain report information for commercial solicitation; imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; authorizes Health Dept. to adopt rules for certain purposes; prohibits solicitation of specific persons involved in motor vehicle crashes; specifies certain charges as unlawful & unenforceable, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.
04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01378
05/02/01 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 01821
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558

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H 1819 (Continued)
05/04/01 HOUSE (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1843 GENERAL BILL by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Rich; Murman (Compare CS/H 0523, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Nursing; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; includes public schools, family practice teaching hospitals, & specialty hospitals for children as eligible facilities under program; provides requirements under program for students seeking to qualify for nursing faculty position & receive credit for work in position; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends Chs. 240, 464. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174) Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803
05/03/01 SENATE In Messages
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB

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- H 1867 (Continued)
05/04/01 SENATE 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- H 1873 GENERAL BILL by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Flanagan (Compare CS/H 0055, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; modifies requirements for risk management & prevention education & training; restricts participation of unlicensed persons in surgical procedures; requires ongoing evaluation of surgical procedures & protocols; eliminates annual report summarizing facility incident reports & disciplinary actions, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 1879 GENERAL BILL/CS by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 1881, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, S 0242, CS/S 0688, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, S 1372, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1726) Long-Term Care; requires ombudsman verification & reporting of nursing home staff on duty & posting thereof; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; limits actions against nursing homes & assisted living facilities; requires facility posting of Fla. Nursing Home Guide Watch List; provides performance review & inservice training requirements for certified nursing assistants, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.
04/26/01 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00966; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -HJ 00966
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1726 (Ch. 2001-194)
- H 1885 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Promotion (HCC); Littlefield (Similar CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174) Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of

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- H 1885 (Continued)
county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00854; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00854
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- H 1895 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)
Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories; prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872
- S 0634 GENERAL BILL/CS by Appropriations; Clary; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1003, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558) Nursing Homes/Vaccinations; prescribes duties of nursing homes re influenzae & pneumococcal polysaccharide vaccinations. Amends 400.141. Appropriation: \$96,577. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/18/01 SENATE Amendment(s) adopted -SJ 00386; House Bill substituted -SJ 00386; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42); See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- S 0666 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Sullivan (Identical CS/H 0331, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)

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S 0666 (Continued)

Physician Assistants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants; allows authorized physician assistants to dispense drug samples pursuant to proper prescription; eliminates formulary committee & revises provisions re creation & amendment of formulary, to conform. Amends 458.347, 459.022. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/31/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-100; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 0684 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Cowin; (CO-SPONSORS) Smith; Sullivan; Mitchell; Latvala (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)

Organ Transplantation; provides for AHCA to create Organ Transplant Task Force to study organ transplantation programs; requires task force to study & make recommendations on necessity of issuance of certificates of need for such programs & funding for organ transplantation; provides date for task force to report to Governor & Legislature. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00964

05/22/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/06/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-167; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 0688 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 1879, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)

Health Care/Background Screening; requires AHCA to convene interagency workgroup to study issues pertaining to certain background screening requirements for health care professionals & owners, operators, & employees of certain health care providers, services, & programs; provides for composition of workgroup; requires report; abrogates repeal of provisions of law which require background screening of applicants for licensure, certification, or registration. Effective Date: 06/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

05/29/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-67; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 0782 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Sanderson; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin (Similar CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)
Nursing Education; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; exempts such hospitals from fund-matching requirements of program; transfers program from Board of Regents to Health Dept. Amends

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- S 0782 (Continued)
240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/04/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 02045
05/04/01 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1256
(Ch. 2001-203), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB
1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- S 0786 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman
Schultz (Compare H 0315, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558,
CS/S 2158)
Opticianry; redefines term "opticianry" & defines term "contact
lenses"; replaces references to term "medical doctor" with term
"allopathic or osteopathic physician"; revises provisions
prescribing violations & penalties applicable to practice of
opticianry; revises inspection authority; amends provision re
Criminal Punishment Code; provides offense severity ranking for
offense of practicing opticianry without license. Amends Ch. 484,
921.0022. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on
Public Safety and Judiciary; Appropriations
-SJ 00967; Placed on Calendar, on second reading
05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- S 0792 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and
Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare H 0483, CS/H 0523, CS/1ST
ENG/H 0715, H 1355, 1ST ENG/H 1753, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST
ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, S 0440, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0904, 1ST
ENG/S 0968, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/1ST
ENG/S 1306, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2158)
Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for
health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons &
for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for
certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to
specific federal authorization; includes nursing homes, family
practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as
facilities eligible under program, etc. Amends Ch. 409,
240.4075,.4076, 408.036. Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective
Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/31/01 Governor vetoed specific Line Item(s); Approved by
Governor; Chapter No. 2001-104; See also CS/SB 904
(Ch. 2001-216), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45),
CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1306 (Ch.
2001-52), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092
(Ch. 2001-222)
- S 0992 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Carlton (Similar
CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, Compare H 0235, CS/H 1403, 2ND ENG/H 1867,
CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158)

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S 0992 (Continued)

Dental Service Claim Denials; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic-violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses. Amends 627.419, 456.031,.033. Effective Date: 07/01/2001. 05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 1092 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Criminal Justice; Banking and Insurance; Campbell; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist; Garcia (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1567, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, S 1464, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1910)
Insurance/Public Records Illegal Use; provides criminal penalty for use of certain report information for commercial solicitation; imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; authorizes Health Dept. to adopt rules for certain purposes; prohibits solicitation of specific persons involved in motor vehicle crashes; specifies certain charges as unlawful & unenforceable, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 06/19/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-271; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1220 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Holzendorf (Similar 2ND ENG/H 1607, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0457, CS/H 1101, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1816, S 1906, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/S 2080, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)
Insurance; extends term of exemption from taxes & assessments on minority-owned property & casualty insurers; postpones scheduled repeal of law; directs dept. to adopt rules re market conduct exams & license applications; revises provisions re unfair competition & deceptive practices; provides standards for single interest insurance; prohibits motor vehicle insurers from imposing surcharge or discount due to certain factors, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 105 NAYS 4 -HJ 02251

05/04/01 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1256 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar CS/H 0523, 1ST ENG/S 0782, Compare H 1843, 2ND

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S 1256 (Continued)

ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Nursing Education; prohibits Board of Nursing from developing any rule re faculty/student clinical ratios until specified time; requires Board of Nursing & DOE to submit to Legislature implementation plan detailing impact & cost of any such proposed rule change; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program, etc. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/12/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-203; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1312 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Linked S 1314, Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0477, H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158)

Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; revises provisions re pharmacy wholesaler permits; specifies that screenings for specified medical disorders must be performed by state Public Health Laboratory, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed -SJ 00897

05/03/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 00985; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53); See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1442 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Education; Campbell; Sebesta (Similar H 0725, S 1570, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Interscholastic Athletics; (THIS BILL COMBINES S1442,1570) requires Fla. High School Activities Association to adopt bylaws which require students participating in interscholastic athletic competition or who are candidates for interscholastic athletic team to satisfactorily pass medical evaluation prior to participating in said competition or engaging in practice with interscholastic athletic team, etc. Amends 232.61. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/19/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 00414

04/20/01 HOUSE In Messages

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1506 GENERAL BILL/CS by Governmental Oversight and Productivity; Garcia

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- S 1506 (Continued)
(Compare H 1217, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
FRS/Medicaid Fraud Control Unit; transfers positions in Medicaid Fraud Control Unit of Legal Affairs Dept. to Career Service System; eliminates provision that makes investigators of said unit ineligible for membership in Special Risk Class of system. Amends 409.9205. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-276; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- S 1568 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Sebesta; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist; Cowin (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1011, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Physicians/Adverse Determinations; requires that only certain physicians licensed in this state may render adverse determinations for health maintenance organizations & prepaid health clinics; clarifies authority of Board of Medicine & Board of Osteopathic Medicine. Amends 641.51. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.
05/02/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00964
05/22/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/06/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-173; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- S 1570 GENERAL BILL by Sebesta (Similar H 0725, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Interscholastic Athletics; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/S1442,1570) deletes requirements for certain bylaws of Fla. High School Activities Association; requires organization to adopt bylaws that require students participating in high school athletic competition or who are candidates for high school athletic team to satisfactorily pass medical evaluation prior to participating in athletic competition or engaging in practice with athletic team, etc. Amends 232.61. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/02/01 SENATE CS combines this bill with 1442; CS by Education; YEAS 9 NAYS 0 -SJ 00305; Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/SB 1442 (Died in House Messages); Refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- S 1788 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Sanderson; Clary; Cowin (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, Compare H 0235, CS/H 1403, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158)
Dentistry; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations re dental service claims; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic-violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses. Amends 627.419, 456.031,.033.

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Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/22/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/06/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-176; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 1910 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Garcia (Compare H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Medical Practice/Clinics; defines term "clinic"; imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; provides for medical directors; provides for enforcement; provides penalties. Creates 456.0375. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/10/01 SENATE CS read first time on 04/12/01 -SJ 00362

04/12/01 SENATE Now in Criminal Justice -SJ 00356

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Criminal Justice, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 2060 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Banking and Insurance; Geller (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, S 1906, CS/S 2080, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)
Insurance Department; directs dept. to adopt rules re market conduct exams & license applications; prohibits motor vehicle insurers from imposing surcharge or discount due to certain factors; prohibits insurer or agent from issuing or signing certain certificates of insurance; provides additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months' premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle insurance, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 627, 631, 641. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

05/01/01 SENATE In returning messages

05/04/01 SENATE Reconsidered -SJ 01645; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2092 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sanderson (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1885, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating

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- S 2092 (Continued)
county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc.
Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-222; See
also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch.
2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174
(Ch. 2001-142)
- S 2110 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;
Silver; (CO-SPONSORS) Sanderson (Compare H 1371, 2ND ENG/H 1867,
CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Medicaid Services; provides that AHCA may restrict provision of
mandatory services by mobile providers; provides that agency may
restrict or prohibit provision of services by mobile providers;
provides that Medicaid will not provide reimbursement for dental
services provided in mobile dental units, except for certain units.
Amends 409.905, .906. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-223; See
also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- S 2146 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Commerce and Economic Opportunities;
Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Mitchell (Compare CS/H 0365,
H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST
ENG/H 1885, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND
ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2174)
Medical Records/Solicitation; provides legislative findings &
intent; prohibits use of patient's medical records for purposes of
solicitation & marketing without specific written release or
authorization; provides for criminal penalties; requires DOI to
adopt rules governing use of consumer's nonpublic personal
financial & health information; provides standards for rules.
Amends 456.057, 395.3025, 400.1415; creates 626.9651. Effective
Date: 07/01/2001.
05/02/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00829
05/02/01 HOUSE In Messages
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch.
2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174
(Ch. 2001-142)
- S 2156 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and
Long-Term Care; Klein (Similar CS/H 1403, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867,
CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,
CS/S 2158)
Dentist/Palliative/End-of-Life Care; allows licensees under
specified provisions to complete course designated by Board of
Dentistry, rather than course in end-of-life care & palliative

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care, as alternative to completing domestic-abuse course & as alternative to completing certain instruction on HIV & acquired immune deficiency syndrome; redefines term "end-stage condition"; prescribes content & suitability of palliative care, etc. Amends 456.031,.033, 765.1103,.101,.102,.205,.401. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01504
05/31/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
06/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-250; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176)

S 2158 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading
05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 2174 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Holzendorf (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)

Insurance Agents; requires access to records by DOI; prohibits certain activities that constitute solicitation of insurance by unlicensed persons; revises agent application requirements; extends period of eligibility for reappointment; requires fingerprinting of specified persons; requires DOI to adopt rules governing use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health information, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 648. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00964
05/17/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

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Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-142; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

S 1652 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Crist (Similar H 0961)

Nursing Homes & Health Care Facility; revises membership & terms of Governor's Panel on Excellence in Long-Term Care; provides for selection of panel chair; provides definition; provides conditions under which prohibition against payment of referral fees by assisted living facilities does not apply. Amends 400.235,.4195. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

05/01/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 37 NAYS 0 -SJ 00671

05/01/01 HOUSE In Messages

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages

H 0961 GENERAL BILL by Carassas; (CO-SPONSORS) Meadows (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1652)

Nursing Homes & Health Care Facility; revises membership & terms of Governor's Panel on Excellence in Long-Term Care; provides for selection of panel chair; provides definition; provides conditions under which prohibition against payment of referral fees by assisted living facilities does not apply. Amends 400.235,.4195. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

S 1726 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881)

Public Records/Elderly Affairs Dept.; provides for release of public records information under certain circumstances; provides for confidentiality & exemption from public records law for information re clients of Elderly Affairs Dept., clients of service providers contracting with Elderly Affairs Dept., & certain elders receiving services through programs administered by or funded by department; requires consent for disclosure, etc. Creates 430.105. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

05/24/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/08/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-194

H 1879 GENERAL BILL/CS by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Elder & Long-Term

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Care (HCC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman; Fiorentino (Linked 1ST ENG/H 1881, Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, S 0242, CS/S 0688, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, S 1372, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1726) Long-Term Care; requires ombudsman verification & reporting of nursing home staff on duty & posting thereof; provides for election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery for negligence; limits actions against nursing homes & assisted living facilities; requires facility posting of Fla. Nursing Home Guide Watch List; provides performance review & inservice training requirements for certified nursing assistants, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided. 04/26/01 HOUSE Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 00966; Placed on Calendar, on second reading -HJ 00966 05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1726 (Ch. 2001-194)

H 1881 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Green; (CO-SPONSORS) Murman (Linked CS/H 1879, Compare H 1581, H 1619, H 1641, S 1200, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/S 1726) Public Records/Nursing Homes; provides exemption from public records law for certain records re internal risk management programs in nursing homes & assisted living facilities; provides exemption from public meetings law for meetings of internal risk management & quality assurance committees in nursing homes & assisted living facilities; provides for confidentiality & exemption from said law for information re clients of Elderly Affairs Dept., etc. Creates 430.105. Effective Date: Contingent. 04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00783; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00783 05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1726 (Ch. 2001-194)

S 1788 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Sanderson; Clary; Cowin (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, Compare H 0235, CS/H 1403, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158) Dentistry; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations re dental service claims; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take

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domestic-violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses. Amends 627.419, 456.031,.033.

Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/22/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/06/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-176; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 0992 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Carlton (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, Compare H 0235, CS/H 1403, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158)

Dental Service Claim Denials; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic-violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses. Amends 627.419, 456.031,.033. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

H 0235 GENERAL BILL by Prieguez; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)

Dental Service Claims/Appeals; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations; provides procedures, requirements, & definition. Amends 627.419. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176); See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277) -HJ 01081

H 1403 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Meador; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)

Health Care; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses; requires specified health care providers, health care practitioners, & health care facilities to comply with patient requests for pain management & palliative care, etc. Amends Chs. 456, 458, 459, 765. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

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05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1895 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories;

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prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB

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06/19/01 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2156 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Klein (Similar CS/H 1403, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)

Dentist/Palliative/End-of-Life Care; allows licensees under specified provisions to complete course designated by Board of Dentistry, rather than course in end-of-life care & palliative care, as alternative to completing domestic-abuse course & as alternative to completing certain instruction on HIV & acquired immune deficiency syndrome; redefines term "end-stage condition"; prescribes content & suitability of palliative care, etc. Amends 456.031,.033, 765.1103,.101,.102,.205,.401. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01504

05/31/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-250; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176)

S 2158 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 1848 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care;

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Brown-Waite (Compare H 1641, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202)
Public Rec./Nursing Home/Liability; provides exemption from
 public-records law for reports of liability claims involving
 nursing homes & assisted living facilities that are provided to
 AHCA as required by law; provides finding of public necessity.
 Effective Date: Contingent.

05/02/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 38 NAYS 0 -SJ 00798

05/02/01 HOUSE In Messages

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
 refer to CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

H 1641 GENERAL BILL by Bennett (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, H 1353,
 H 1581, H 1619, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881, S 0242, S 1200,
 CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, S 1326, CS/CS/S 1456, CS/1ST ENG/S 1848)
Long-term-care Facilities; clarifies duties of local ombudsman
 councils re inspections of nursing homes & long-term-care
 facilities; requires nursing home facility to permit electronic
 monitoring devices in resident's room; prescribes training
 standards for employees of nursing homes that provide care for
 persons with Alzheimer's disease or related disorders; requires
 reporting of sexual abuse, etc. Amends Ch. 400, 464.201,.203,
 397.405. Appropriation. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except
 as otherwise provided.

03/21/01 HOUSE Introduced -HJ 00316

03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC); Fiscal
 Policy & Resources (FRC); Health & Human Services
 Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy
 Communities -HJ 00349

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Elder & Long-Term Care (HCC),
 Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to SB 1200 (Ch.
 2001-44), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45)

S 1202 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG by Appropriations; Judiciary; Health,
 Aging and Long-Term Care; Brown-Waite; (CO-SPONSORS) Holzendorf
 (Linked S 1200, Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 0605, H 1353, H 1581, H 1619,
 H 1641, 1ST ENG/H 1753, 3RD ENG/H 1861, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1881,
 CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, S 1326, S 1372, CS/CS/S 1456, CS/1ST
 ENG/S 1848)

Long-term-care Facilities; clarifies duties of local ombudsman
 councils re inspections of nursing homes & long-term-care
 facilities; requires AHCA & Office of Attorney General to study use
 of electronic monitoring devices in nursing homes; provides for
 election of survival damages, wrongful death damages, or recovery
 for negligence; prescribes limits on amount of punitive damages;
 provides for division of punitive damages, etc. Amends FS.
 Appropriation: \$16,223,557. Effective Date: 05/15/2001 except as
 otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 02118

05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

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Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-45; See also
SB 1200 (Ch. 2001-44), HB 1861 (Ch. 2001-205),
CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104)

S 1910 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Garcia
(Compare H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895,
CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Medical Practice/Clinics; defines term "clinic"; imposes
registration requirements for certain clinics; provides for medical
directors; provides for enforcement; provides penalties. Creates
456.0375. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/10/01 SENATE CS read first time on 04/12/01 -SJ 00362

04/12/01 SENATE Now in Criminal Justice -SJ 00356

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Criminal Justice,
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB
1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1567 GENERAL BILL by Lacasa (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, CS/H 1895,
CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/S 1910)
Medical Practice; limits to certain medical licensees ownership or
operation of medical practice settings or diagnostic facilities;
provides exemptions; requires certain medical practice settings or
diagnostic facilities not owned by such licensees to employ medical
director; provides for adoption of rules; provides responsibilities
for medical directors of such facilities; provides penalties, etc.
Creates 458.35. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

03/28/01 HOUSE Referred to Health Regulation (HCC); Crime
Prevention, Corrections & Safety (HCC); Council for
Healthy Communities -HJ 00348

03/30/01 HOUSE On Committee agenda-- Health Regulation (HCC),
04/03/01, 8:00 am, Morris Hall --Temporarily
deferred

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health Regulation (HCC),
Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB
1092 (Ch. 2001-271)

H 1819 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Insurance
(CCC); Waters; (CO-SPONSORS) Brown; Negron; Wiles; Simmons;
McGriff; Melvin; Berfield; Kallinger; Lee; Fields; Ross; Sobel;
Wishner; Farkas (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, Compare 1ST
ENG/H 0159, H 1567, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, S 1464, CS/2ND
ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1910)
Insurance/Public Records Illegal Use; provides criminal penalty for
use of certain report information for commercial solicitation;
imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; authorizes
Health Dept. to adopt rules for certain purposes; prohibits

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- H 1819 (Continued)
solicitation of specific persons involved in motor vehicle crashes;
specifies certain charges as unlawful & unenforceable, etc. Amends
FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: Upon becoming law
except as otherwise provided.
04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01378
05/02/01 HOUSE Temporarily postponed, on Third Reading -HJ 01821
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558
(Ch. 2001-277)
- H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas;
(CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare
CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475,
CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011,
H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND
ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885,
CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST
ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836,
CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220,
CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442,
CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,
CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST
ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,
CS/S 2174)
Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical
Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health
Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re
expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants;
allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication
not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician
Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective
Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803
05/03/01 SENATE In Messages
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch.
2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch.
2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836
(Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB
1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203),
CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch.
2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788
(Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB
2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250),
CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- H 1895 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health
Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055,
H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567,

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CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories; prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872

S 1092 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Criminal Justice; Banking and Insurance; Campbell; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist; Garcia (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1567, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, S 1464, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1910) Insurance/Public Records Illegal Use; provides criminal penalty for use of certain report information for commercial solicitation; imposes registration requirements for certain clinics; authorizes Health Dept. to adopt rules for certain purposes; prohibits solicitation of specific persons involved in motor vehicle crashes; specifies certain charges as unlawful & unenforceable, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 06/19/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-271; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,

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CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000.

Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1960 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Latvala; King (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, CS/2ND ENG/H 1253, H 1261, H 1373, 1ST ENG/H 1439, CS/CS/S 1208, S 1760)

Health Care; (THIS BILL COMBINES S1960,1760) provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; revises grounds for disapproval of insurance policy forms; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act & revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; revises coverage, benefits, covered expenses, premiums, & deductibles of association, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 641.31. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Read second time -SJ 01191

05/04/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 01362; Laid on Table, refer to CS/HB 1253 (Died in House Returning Messages)

S 1210 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Latvala (Similar CS/CS/S 1960, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1373, 1ST ENG/H 1439, CS/CS/S 1208)

Health Insurance; requires certain group certificates for health

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S 1210 (Continued)

insurance coverage to be subject to requirements for individual health insurance policies; revises requirements for filing & approval of individual health insurance rates; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act; revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; provides for cessation of coverage, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 641.31; repeals 627.6484. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided. 05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar

H 0159 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Rubio; Benson; (CO-SPONSORS) Negron; Harrell; Barreiro; Prieguez; Waters; Diaz-Balart; Cusack; Lerner; Diaz de la Portilla; Slosberg; Sobel; Murman (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 1253, H 1261, 1ST ENG/H 1439, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, S 1464, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, CS/CS/S 1960)

Health Maintenance Organizations; provides licensure requirement for physician who renders adverse determination re services provided by another state-licensed physician; eliminates authority of certain out-of-state physicians to render such determinations; provides additional experience requirements & limitation for out-of-state groups; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons, etc. Amends Chs. 627, 641. Effective Date: 01/01/2002.

04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) failed -HJ 01305

05/02/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173); See also CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277) -HJ 01821

H 1253 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Insurance (CCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Lynn (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1261, 1ST ENG/H 1439, S 1760, CS/CS/S 1960)

Limited Benefit Policies/Contracts; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; provides requirements for denial, nonrenewal, or cancellation of coverage; requires Insurance Commissioner to appoint health benefit plan committee to modify standard, basic, & limited health benefit plans; revises disclosure that carrier must make to small employer upon offering certain policies, etc. Amends 627.6699.

Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 35 NAYS 0 -SJ 01373

05/04/01 HOUSE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages

H 1261 GENERAL BILL by Murman (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, CS/2ND ENG/H 1253, 1ST ENG/H 1439, CS/CS/S 1960)

Health Care Access; provides legislative intent & definitions; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; provides criteria; exempts approved health flex

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- H 1261 (Continued)
plans from certain licensing requirements; provides criteria for eligibility to enroll in health flex plan; requires health flex plan providers to maintain certain records; provides requirements for denial, nonrenewal, or cancellation of coverage, etc.
Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/21/01 HOUSE Referred to Health Promotion (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities -HJ 00326
03/22/01 HOUSE Withdrawn from Health Promotion (HCC); Insurance (CCC); Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC); Council for Healthy Communities; Withdrawn from further consideration -HJ 00340
- H 1373 GENERAL BILL by Green (Similar CS/CS/S 1208, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, CS/CS/S 1960)
Health Insurance; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act; revises criteria for eligibility for coverage from association; authorizes association to place individual with case manager who determines health care system or provider; requires insurers to be members of association & to be subject to assessments for operating expenses; revises coverage, benefits, covered expenses, premiums, & deductibles of assn., etc. Amends Ch. 627. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
04/20/01 HOUSE Favorable with 1 amendment(s) by Insurance (CCC); YEAS 12 NAYS 0 -HJ 00551
04/23/01 HOUSE Now in Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC) -HJ 00551
05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Committee on Health & Human Services Appropriations (FRC)
- H 1439 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Berfield; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Allen; Hogan; Mahon; Slosberg; Mayfield (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 1235, CS/2ND ENG/H 1253, H 1261, CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, S 1484, CS/CS/S 1960)
Health Insurance; exempts group health insurance policies insuring groups of certain size from rate filing requirements; revises grounds for disapproval of insurance policy forms; revises rating factors that may be used by small employer carriers; provides for pilot program for health flex plans for certain uninsured persons; creates Workgroup on Out of State Group Policies, etc. Amends Ch. 627, 641.31,.3155. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) failed -HJ 01113; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01114
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar
- S 1208 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Banking and Insurance; Latvala (Similar H 1373, Compare CS/1ST ENG/S 1210, CS/CS/S 1960)
Health Insurance; amends definitions used in Fla. Comprehensive Health Association Act; revises criteria for eligibility for

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S 1208 (Continued)

coverage from association; authorizes association to place individual with case manager who determines health care system or provider; requires insurers to be members of association & to be subject to assessments for operating expenses; makes legislative finding that provisions of this act fulfill important state interest, etc. Amends Ch. 627. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/18/01 SENATE Favorable by- Finance and Taxation; YEAS 6

NAYS 0 -SJ 00423

04/19/01 SENATE Placed on Calendar, on second reading -SJ 00423

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar

S 1760

GENERAL BILL by King (Compare CS/2ND ENG/H 1253, CS/CS/S 1960)

Limited Benefit Policies/Contracts; (THIS BILL COMBINED IN CS/S1960,1760) prohibits small employer carriers from using certain policies, contracts, forms, or rates unless filed with & approved by DOI pursuant to certain provisions; provides exception; restricts application of certain laws to limited benefit policies under certain circumstances; authorizes offering or delivering limited benefit policies or contracts to certain employers, etc. Amends 627.6699. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

04/16/01 SENATE CS combines this bill with 1960; CS by Banking and Insurance; YEAS 11 NAYS 1 -SJ 00397; Original bill laid on Table, refer to combined CS/CS/SB 1960 (Laid on Table in Senate)

S 2092 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Sanderson (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1885, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-222; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

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H 1885 (Continued)

H 1885 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Promotion (HCC); Littlefield (Similar CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00854; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00854

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 0365 GENERAL BILL/CS by State Administration (SGC); Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Justice (Similar CS/S 0840, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)

Public Records/Health/Financial Info; provides exemption from public records requirements for identifying information & specified financial information in records re individual's health or eligibility for health-related services made or received by Health Dept. or its service providers; specifies conditions under which such information may be released; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 119.07.

Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00836

05/03/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108); See also CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222) -HJ 01856

H 0751 GENERAL BILL by McGriff; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Bean; Henriquez; Miller; Littlefield (Identical S 0672, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092)

Indigent Hospital Patients; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc. Amends 154.306. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,

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- H 0751 (Continued)
05/04/01 HOUSE refer to CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)
- H 0985 GENERAL BILL by Justice; Wiles; (CO-SPONSORS) Stansel; Siplin; Farkas; Littlefield; Needelman; Bean; Gibson; Machek; McGriff; Gelber; Ausley; Henriquez; Cusack; Joyner; Gannon; Sobel; Weissman; Davis; Rich; Romeo; Bullard; Bucher; Baxley; Lacasa; Holloway; Wilson; Bilirakis; Wishner (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)
Med. Records/Solicitation/Marketing; prohibits use of patient's medical records for purposes of solicitation & marketing; provides for discipline, injunctive relief, & fines. Amends 456.057.
Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)
- H 1219 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Brown (Similar CS/S 2174, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)
Insurance Agents; requires DOI to adopt rules to govern use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health info by health insurers & HMOs; requires maintenance of separate records re insurance products & transactions; describes activities which constitute solicitation of insurance requiring licensure as insurance agent; revises agent application requirements; requires fingerprinting of certain persons, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 648.
Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01274
05/02/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142); See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222) -HJ 01694
- H 1607 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Bennett (Similar 2ND ENG/S 1220, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0457, CS/H 1101, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1816, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)
Insurance; provides construction & purposes; specifies application to certain persons & entities; provides for tolling certain time limitations in certain actions; imposes liability on certain persons or entities for certain actions; provides procedures & requirements for closing estate; provides for establishing financial responsibility re damages arising out of operation of certain vehicles; provides premium tax exemption, etc. Amends FS.
Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.
04/30/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 117 NAYS 0 -HJ 01425

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H 1607 (Continued)

04/30/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092
(Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas;
(CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare
CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475,
CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011,
H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND
ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885,
CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST
ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836,
CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220,
CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442,
CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,
CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST
ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,
CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical
Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health
Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re
expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants;
allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication
not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician
Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective
Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch.
2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch.
2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836
(Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB
1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203),
CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch.
2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788
(Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB
2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250),
CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 0672 GENERAL BILL by Mitchell; (CO-SPONSORS) Smith; Lee; Miller
(Identical H 0751, Compare 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092)
Indigent Hospital Patients; provides procedures for computing
maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of
indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county;
provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain
institutionalized county residents from state population estimates
when calculating county's financial responsibility for such

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- S 0672 (Continued)
 hospital care, etc. Amends 154.306. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
 05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on
 Calendar
 05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
 refer to CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)
- S 0792 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and
 Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare H 0483, CS/H 0523, CS/1ST
 ENG/H 0715, H 1355, 1ST ENG/H 1753, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST
 ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, S 0440, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0904, 1ST
 ENG/S 0968, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/1ST
 ENG/S 1306, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2158)
Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for
 health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons &
 for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for
 certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to
 specific federal authorization; includes nursing homes, family
 practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as
 facilities eligible under program, etc. Amends Ch. 409,
 240.4075, .4076, 408.036. Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective
 Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
 05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 05/31/01 Governor vetoed specific Line Item(s); Approved by
 Governor; Chapter No. 2001-104; See also CS/SB 904
 (Ch. 2001-216), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45),
 CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1306 (Ch.
 2001-52), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092
 (Ch. 2001-222)
- S 0840 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders
 (Similar CS/H 0365, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885,
 CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)
Public Records/Health/Financial Info; provides exemption from
 public records requirements for identifying information & specified
 financial information in records re individual's health or
 eligibility for health-related services made or received by Health
 Dept. or its service providers; specifies conditions under which
 such information may be released; provides for future review &
 repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 119.07.
 Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
 05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
 05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
 05/31/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-108; See
 also CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)
- S 1220 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Holzendorf (Similar 2ND ENG/H 1607,
 Compare 1ST ENG/H 0457, CS/H 1101, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND
 ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558,
 CS/S 1816, S 1906, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/S 2080, CS/CS/2ND
 ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

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S 1220 (Continued)

Insurance; extends term of exemption from taxes & assessments on minority-owned property & casualty insurers; postpones scheduled repeal of law; directs dept. to adopt rules re market conduct exams & license applications; revises provisions re unfair competition & deceptive practices; provides standards for single interest insurance; prohibits motor vehicle insurers from imposing surcharge or discount due to certain factors, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 105 NAYS 4 -HJ 02251

05/04/01 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1558

GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2060 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Banking and Insurance; Geller (Compare

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CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, S 1906, CS/S 2080, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174) Insurance Department; directs dept. to adopt rules re market conduct exams & license applications; prohibits motor vehicle insurers from imposing surcharge or discount due to certain factors; prohibits insurer or agent from issuing or signing certain certificates of insurance; provides additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months' premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle insurance, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 627, 631, 641. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

05/01/01 SENATE In returning messages

05/04/01 SENATE Reconsidered -SJ 01645; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2146 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Mitchell (Compare CS/H 0365, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2174)

Medical Records/Solicitation; provides legislative findings & intent; prohibits use of patient's medical records for purposes of solicitation & marketing without specific written release or authorization; provides for criminal penalties; requires DOI to adopt rules governing use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health information; provides standards for rules. Amends 456.057, 395.3025, 400.1415; creates 626.9651. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/02/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00829

05/02/01 HOUSE In Messages

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2174 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Holzendorf (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)

Insurance Agents; requires access to records by DOI; prohibits certain activities that constitute solicitation of insurance by unlicensed persons; revises agent application requirements; extends period of eligibility for reappointment; requires fingerprinting of specified persons; requires DOI to adopt rules governing use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health information, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 648. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

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S 2174 (Continued)

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00964

05/17/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/01/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-142; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

S 2110 **GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver; (CO-SPONSORS) Sanderson (Compare H 1371, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558)
Medicaid Services; provides that AHCA may restrict provision of mandatory services by mobile providers; provides that agency may restrict or prohibit provision of services by mobile providers; provides that Medicaid will not provide reimbursement for dental services provided in mobile dental units, except for certain units. Amends 409.905, .906. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-223; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1371 GENERAL BILL by Betancourt; (CO-SPONSORS) Lerner; Kravitz; Siplin; Sobel; Littlefield; Murman; Rich; Gelber; Green; Romeo; Benson; Justice (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110)
Optional Medicaid Services/Dental; restricts Medicaid reimbursement for adult denture & children's dental services rendered in mobile dental unit. Amends 409.906. Effective Date: Upon becoming law.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

H 1867 (Continued)

CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

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S 1558

GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch.

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S 1558 (Continued)

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2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2146 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Commerce and Economic Opportunities; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Mitchell (Compare CS/H 0365, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2174)

Medical Records/Solicitation; provides legislative findings & intent; prohibits use of patient's medical records for purposes of solicitation & marketing without specific written release or authorization; provides for criminal penalties; requires DOI to adopt rules governing use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health information; provides standards for rules. Amends 456.057, 395.3025, 400.1415; creates 626.9651. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/02/01 SENATE CS passed as amended; YEAS 39 NAYS 0 -SJ 00829

05/02/01 HOUSE In Messages

05/04/01 HOUSE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 0365 GENERAL BILL/CS by State Administration (SGC); Hogan; (CO-SPONSORS) Justice (Similar CS/S 0840, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)

Public Records/Health/Financial Info; provides exemption from public records requirements for identifying information & specified financial information in records re individual's health or eligibility for health-related services made or received by Health Dept. or its service providers; specifies conditions under which such information may be released; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 119.07. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00836

05/03/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108); See also CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222) -HJ 01856

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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H 0985 (Continued)

H 0985 GENERAL BILL by Justice; Wiles; (CO-SPONSORS) Stansel; Siplin; Farkas; Littlefield; Needelman; Bean; Gibson; Machek; McGriff; Gelber; Ausley; Henriquez; Cusack; Joyner; Gannon; Sobel; Weissman; Davis; Rich; Romeo; Bullard; Bucher; Baxley; Lacasa; Holloway; Wilson; Bilirakis; Wishner (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)

Med. Records/Solicitation/Marketing; prohibits use of patient's medical records for purposes of solicitation & marketing; provides for discipline, injunctive relief, & fines. Amends 456.057.

Effective Date: Upon becoming law.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

H 1219 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Council for Competitive Commerce; Brown (Similar CS/S 2174, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)

Insurance Agents; requires DOI to adopt rules to govern use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health info by health insurers & HMOs; requires maintenance of separate records re insurance products & transactions; describes activities which constitute solicitation of insurance requiring licensure as insurance agent; revises agent application requirements; requires fingerprinting of certain persons, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 648. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 01274

05/02/01 HOUSE Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142); See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222) -HJ 01694

H 1607 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Bennett (Similar 2ND ENG/S 1220, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0457, CS/H 1101, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1816, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Insurance; provides construction & purposes; specifies application to certain persons & entities; provides for tolling certain time limitations in certain actions; imposes liability on certain persons or entities for certain actions; provides procedures & requirements for closing estate; provides for establishing financial responsibility re damages arising out of operation of certain vehicles; provides premium tax exemption, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

04/30/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 117 NAYS 0 -HJ 01425

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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

H 1607 (Continued)

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092
(Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas;
(CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare
CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475,
CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011,
H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND
ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885,
CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST
ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836,
CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220,
CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442,
CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,
CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST
ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158,
CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical
Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health
Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re
expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants;
allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication
not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician
Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective
Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

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refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch.
2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch.
2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836
(Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB
1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203),
CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch.
2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788
(Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB
2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250),
CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1885 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Health Promotion (HCC); Littlefield
(Similar CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985,
CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672,
CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558,
CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that
specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of
county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion
of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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- H 1885 (Continued)
county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc.
Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
04/26/01 HOUSE Read second time -HJ 00854; Amendment(s) adopted -HJ 00854
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- S 0840 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 0365, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)
Public Records/Health/Financial Info; provides exemption from public records requirements for identifying information & specified financial information in records re individual's health or eligibility for health-related services made or received by Health Dept. or its service providers; specifies conditions under which such information may be released; provides for future review & repeal; provides finding of public necessity. Amends 119.07.
Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256
05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/31/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-108; See also CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)
- S 1220 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Holzendorf (Similar 2ND ENG/H 1607, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0457, CS/H 1101, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1816, S 1906, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/S 2080, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)
Insurance; extends term of exemption from taxes & assessments on minority-owned property & casualty insurers; postpones scheduled repeal of law; directs dept. to adopt rules re market conduct exams & license applications; revises provisions re unfair competition & deceptive practices; provides standards for single interest insurance; prohibits motor vehicle insurers from imposing surcharge or discount due to certain factors, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/04/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 105 NAYS 4 -HJ 02251
05/04/01 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)
- S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873,

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
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S 1558 (Continued)

CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2060 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Banking and Insurance; Geller (Compare CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/1ST ENG/S 0182, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, S 1906, CS/S 2080, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Insurance Department; directs dept. to adopt rules re market conduct exams & license applications; prohibits motor vehicle insurers from imposing surcharge or discount due to certain factors; prohibits insurer or agent from issuing or signing certain certificates of insurance; provides additional exception to requirement that minimum of 2 months' premium be collected to issue policy or binder for motor vehicle insurance, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 627, 631, 641. Effective Date: Upon becoming law except as otherwise provided.

05/01/01 SENATE In returning messages

05/04/01 SENATE Reconsidered -SJ 01645; Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2092 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and

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S 2092 (Continued)

Long-Term Care; Sanderson (Similar 1ST ENG/H 1885, Compare CS/H 0365, H 0751, H 0985, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, S 0672, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/S 0840, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides procedures for computing maximum amount that specified counties must pay for treatment of indigent resident of county at hospital located outside county; provides for exclusion of active-duty military personnel & certain institutionalized county residents from state population estimates when calculating county's financial responsibility for such hospital care, etc.

Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/13/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-222; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 2174 GENERAL BILL/CS by Banking and Insurance; Holzendorf (Similar CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1607, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146)

Insurance Agents; requires access to records by DOI; prohibits certain activities that constitute solicitation of insurance by unlicensed persons; revises agent application requirements; extends period of eligibility for reappointment; requires fingerprinting of specified persons; requires DOI to adopt rules governing use of consumer's nonpublic personal financial & health information, etc. Amends Chs. 624, 626, 648. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 00964

05/17/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/01/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-142; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

S 2156 **GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Klein (Similar CS/H 1403, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)

Dentist/Palliative/End-of-Life Care; allows licensees under specified provisions to complete course designated by Board of Dentistry, rather than course in end-of-life care & palliative care, as alternative to completing domestic-abuse course & as alternative to completing certain instruction on HIV & acquired

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

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immune deficiency syndrome; redefines term "end-stage condition"; prescribes content & suitability of palliative care, etc. Amends 456.031,.033, 765.1103,.101,.102,.205,.401. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01504

05/31/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-250; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176)

H 1403 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Meador; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)

Health Care; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses; requires specified health care providers, health care practitioners, & health care facilities to comply with patient requests for pain management & palliative care, etc. Amends Chs. 456, 458, 459, 765. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective

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Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1895 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)
Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories; prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872

S 0992 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Carlton (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, Compare H 0235, CS/H 1403, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158)
Dental Service Claim Denials; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic-violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses. Amends 627.419, 456.031,.033. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

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05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1788 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Peaden; Sanderson; Clary; Cowin (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, Compare H 0235, CS/H 1403, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158)

Dentistry; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations re dental service claims; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic-violence education courses; provides alternative by which

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licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses. Amends 627.419, 456.031,.033.

Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

05/22/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/06/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-176; See also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 2158 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

S 2158 **GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Similar CS/H 1895, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 0813, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/S 1096, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156)

Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; increases membership on Health Care Risk Management Advisory Council; limits financial information AHCA may require to determine amount of hospital annual assessments; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program

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from DOE to Health Dept.; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Appropriations -SJ 00985; Placed on Calendar, on second reading

05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

H 1895 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas (Similar CS/S 2158, Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, CS/H 1403, H 1543, H 1567, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156) Health Care; prohibits rebate or split-fee arrangements with dialysis facilities for patient referrals to clinical laboratories; prohibits rules that establish standards & guidelines for organ & tissue procurement from allowing pooling of human cells or tissue; provides automatic eligibility for admission to any medical school in State University System for military academy students or graduates who qualify for Medical Corps of U.S. military, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/26/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill substituted; Laid on Table, refer to SB 782 (Died in Senate Returning Messages); Refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250) -HJ 00872

H 0055 GENERAL BILL/CS by Fiscal Responsibility Council; Fasano; (CO-SPONSORS) Ritter; Fiorentino; Sorensen; Waters (Similar S 0254, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1895, CS/S 2158) Public Medical Assistance; reduces annual assessment on hospital outpatient services to fund public medical assistance; limits financial information that may be required to determine amount of assessment; reduces annual assessment on certain other health care entities to fund public medical assistance; provides for annual appropriations to replace funds lost due to such reductions. Amends 395.701,.7015,.7016. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
03/21/01 SENATE In Messages
03/23/01 SENATE Received, referred to Health, Aging and Long-Term

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- H 0055 (Continued)
03/23/01 SENATE Care; Finance and Taxation; Appropriations
Subcommittee on Health and Human Services;
Appropriations -SJ 00230
05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term
Care
- H 0235 GENERAL BILL by Prieguez; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz (Compare 2ND
ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST
ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)
Dental Service Claims/Appeals; provides for appeals from certain
adverse determinations; provides procedures, requirements, &
definition. Amends 627.419. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Senate Bill
substituted; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare
passed, refer to CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176); See
also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277) -HJ 01081
- H 0315 GENERAL BILL by Kottkamp; (CO-SPONSORS) Greenstein; Green (Compare
2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/S 0786, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)
Opticianry/Violations & Penalties; revises violations & penalties
applicable to practice of opticianry; revises inspection authority;
amends provision re Criminal Punishment Code to provide offense
severity ranking for offense of practicing opticianry without
license. Amends 484.013,.015, 921.0022. Effective Date:
10/01/2001.
04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on
Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed,
refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 0475 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Council for Healthy Communities; Hogan;
(CO-SPONSORS) Alexander; Murman; Lynn; Detert; Fiorentino (Linked
1ST ENG/H 0477, Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, Compare H 1075, 1ST
ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362,
CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158)
Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may
accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's
Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term
"physical handicap" with term "handicap"; requires postnatal tests
& screenings for infant metabolic disorders to be performed by
State Public Health Laboratory; revises provisions re food service
employee training programs, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date:
07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.
05/04/01 HOUSE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -HJ 02049
05/14/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/23/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-53; See also
HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67),
CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)
- H 0523 GENERAL BILL/CS by Colleges & Universities (LLC); Green;
(CO-SPONSORS) Heyman; Waters (Similar 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/1ST

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ENG/S 1256, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness; includes family practice teaching hospitals & specialty hospitals for children as eligible facilities under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; exempts such hospitals from fund-matching requirements of program; provides for priority of awards when there are insufficient funds for all eligible applicants, etc. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 0813 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health Regulation (HCC); Justice (Similar CS/CS/S 1096, Compare CS/S 2158)

Pharmacists; defines term "pharmaceutical adverse incident" & requires that such incidents be reported to Health Dept.; provides that such incident reports are not discoverable or admissible in any civil or administrative action, except disciplinary proceedings; requires dept. to review reported incidents to determine if incidents potentially involve conduct by health care practitioner that is subject to disciplinary action, etc. Creates 465.0165. Effective Date: Contingent.

05/03/01 HOUSE CS read first time on 05/03/01 -HJ 01974; Pending review of CS under Rule 6 -HJ 01975

05/04/01 HOUSE Died pending review of CS under Rule 6

H 1403 GENERAL BILL/CS by Council for Healthy Communities; Meador; (CO-SPONSORS) Kravitz (Similar CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 2158)

Health Care; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses; requires specified health care providers, health care practitioners, & health care facilities to comply with patient requests for pain management & palliative care, etc. Amends Chs. 456, 458, 459, 765. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176)

H 1543 GENERAL BILL by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; Murman; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Ritter; Alexander; Fiorentino; Siplin; Johnson (Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

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Health Care Practitioner/Credentials; provides intent; revises & provides definitions; revises duties of Health Dept. re file maintenance; provides that primary source data verified by department or its designee may be relied upon to meet accreditation purposes. Amends 456.047. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1843 GENERAL BILL by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Rich; Murman (Compare CS/H 0523, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Nursing; transfers Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program from DOE to Health Dept.; includes public schools, family practice teaching hospitals, & specialty hospitals for children as eligible facilities under program; provides requirements under program for students seeking to qualify for nursing faculty position & receive credit for work in position; provides for future relocation of headquarters of Nursing Board, etc. Amends Chs. 240, 464. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

H 1867 GENERAL BILL/2ND ENG by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Harrell; Wishner; Fiorentino; Rubio (Compare CS/H 0055, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/H 0365, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, CS/CS/H 0809, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, H 1873, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 0836, CS/S 0840, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; provides additional & clarifying legislative intent re expenses & awards for birth-related neurologically injured infants; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Council on Physician Assistants, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective

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Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 01803

05/03/01 SENATE In Messages

05/04/01 SENATE Died in Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 836 (Ch. 2001-107), CS/SB 840 (Ch. 2001-108), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

H 1873 GENERAL BILL by Health Regulation (HCC); Farkas; (CO-SPONSORS) Sobel; Alexander; Ritter; Harrell; Wishner; Flanagan (Compare CS/H 0055, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Health Care; revises provisions re hospital & ambulatory surgical center internal risk management programs; modifies requirements for risk management & prevention education & training; restricts participation of unlicensed persons in surgical procedures; requires ongoing evaluation of surgical procedures & protocols; eliminates annual report summarizing facility incident reports & disciplinary actions, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

04/27/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar

05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 0782 GENERAL BILL/1ST ENG by Sanderson; (CO-SPONSORS) Cowin (Similar CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Nursing Education; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program; exempts such hospitals from fund-matching requirements of program; transfers program from Board of Regents to Health Dept. Amends 240.4075, .4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 HOUSE Passed as amended; YEAS 119 NAYS 0 -HJ 02045

05/04/01 SENATE In returning messages; Died in returning Messages, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 0786 GENERAL BILL/CS by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz (Compare H 0315, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158) Opticianry; redefines term "opticianry" & defines term "contact lenses"; replaces references to term "medical doctor" with term

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"allopathic or osteopathic physician"; revises provisions prescribing violations & penalties applicable to practice of opticianry; revises inspection authority; amends provision re Criminal Punishment Code; provides offense severity ranking for offense of practicing opticianry without license. Amends Ch. 484, 921.0022. Effective Date: 10/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Withdrawn from Appropriations Subcommittee on Public Safety and Judiciary; Appropriations -SJ 00967; Placed on Calendar, on second reading
05/04/01 SENATE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 0792 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/2ND ENG by Appropriations; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Silver (Compare H 0483, CS/H 0523, CS/1ST ENG/H 0715, H 1355, 1ST ENG/H 1753, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, S 0440, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0904, 1ST ENG/S 0968, CS/CS/CS/3RD ENG/S 1202, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/1ST ENG/S 1306, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/S 2158) Health Care Administration Agency; provides for agency to pay for health insurance premiums for certain Medicaid-eligible persons & for specified cancer treatment; provides Medicaid eligibility for certain disabled persons under Medicaid buy-in program, subject to specific federal authorization; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under program, etc. Amends Ch. 409, 240.4075, .4076, 408.036. Appropriation: \$1,638,330. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/16/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor
05/31/01 Governor vetoed specific Line Item(s); Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-104; See also CS/SB 904 (Ch. 2001-216), CS/CS/CS/SB 1202 (Ch. 2001-45), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1306 (Ch. 2001-52), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222)

S 0992 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Banking and Insurance; Carlton (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, Compare H 0235, CS/H 1403, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158) Dental Service Claim Denials; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic-violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take AIDS/HIV education courses. Amends 627.419, 456.031, .033. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.
05/03/01 HOUSE Placed on Special Order Calendar; Retained on Calendar
05/04/01 HOUSE Died on Calendar, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250)

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Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 1096 (Continued)

S 1096 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS by Appropriations Subcommittee on Health and Human Services; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar CS/H 0813, Compare CS/S 2158) Ernest Belles Act; provides short title; defines term "pharmaceutical adverse incident" & requires that such incidents be reported to Health Dept.; provides exceptions; requires dept. to review reported incidents to determine whether incidents potentially involve conduct by health care practitioner that is subject to disciplinary action; specifies that any disciplinary action shall be taken by appropriate board; provides for adoption of rules & forms. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

04/20/01 SENATE Now in Appropriations -SJ 00467; On Committee agenda-- Appropriations, 04/24/01, 1:00 pm, 412-K --Temporarily postponed

S 1256 05/04/01 SENATE Died in Committee on Appropriations GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Campbell (Similar CS/H 0523, 1ST ENG/S 0782, Compare H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 2158)

Nursing Education; prohibits Board of Nursing from developing any rule re faculty/student clinical ratios until specified time; requires Board of Nursing & DOE to submit to Legislature implementation plan detailing impact & cost of any such proposed rule change; includes nursing homes, family practice teaching hospitals & specialty children's hospitals as facilities eligible under Nursing Student Loan Forgiveness Program, etc. Amends 240.4075,.4076. Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

05/29/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/12/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-203; See also CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1312 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders; (CO-SPONSORS) Crist (Linked S 1314, Similar CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, Compare 1ST ENG/H 0477, H 1075, 1ST ENG/H 1471, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1879, CS/H 1895, S 0362, CS/S 0688, S 0702, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/S 1902, CS/S 2158) Public Health; expands type of personnel & facilities that may accept abandoned newborns; amends provision re Florida Patient's Bill of Rights & Responsibilities to replace references to term "physical handicap" with term "handicap"; revises provisions re pharmacy wholesaler permits; specifies that screenings for specified medical disorders must be performed by state Public Health Laboratory, etc. Amends FS. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/02/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed -SJ 00897

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED BILLS

Senate Committee on Health, Aging and Long-Term Care (Continued)

S 1312 (Continued)

05/03/01 SENATE House Bill substituted -SJ 00985; Laid on Table, Link/Iden/Sim/Compare passed, refer to CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53); See also HB 1471 (Ch. 2001-257), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277)

S 1558 GENERAL BILL/CS/2ND ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Saunders (Compare 1ST ENG/H 0159, H 0235, H 0315, CS/H 0331, CS/2ND ENG/H 0475, CS/H 0523, H 0725, H 0985, 1ST ENG/H 1003, H 1011, H 1217, CS/1ST ENG/H 1219, H 1371, CS/H 1403, H 1543, 2ND ENG/H 1607, CS/1ST ENG/H 1819, H 1843, 2ND ENG/H 1867, H 1873, CS/H 1879, 1ST ENG/H 1885, CS/H 1895, CS/S 0634, 1ST ENG/S 0666, CS/1ST ENG/S 0684, CS/S 0688, 1ST ENG/S 0782, CS/S 0786, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 0792, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1092, 2ND ENG/S 1220, CS/1ST ENG/S 1256, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 1312, CS/1ST ENG/S 1442, CS/S 1506, CS/S 1568, S 1570, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788, CS/S 1910, CS/2ND ENG/S 2060, CS/CS/2ND ENG/S 2092, CS/1ST ENG/S 2110, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2146, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158, CS/S 2174)

Health Care; provides legislative intent & findings re Medical Quality Assurance Trust Fund & function administered by Health Dept.; revises requirements re setting & use of fees for regulation of health care professions & practitioners, including continuing education fees; allows authorized physician assistants to prescribe any medication not listed on formulary established by Physician Assistants Council, etc. Amends FS. Appropriation: \$100,000. Effective Date: 07/01/2001 except as otherwise provided.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 02118

06/05/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/19/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-277; See also CS/HB 475 (Ch. 2001-53), HB 1003 (Ch. 2001-42), SB 666 (Ch. 2001-100), CS/SB 684 (Ch. 2001-167), CS/SB 688 (Ch. 2001-67), CS/CS/SB 792 (Ch. 2001-104), CS/CS/SB 1092 (Ch. 2001-271), CS/SB 1256 (Ch. 2001-203), CS/SB 1506 (Ch. 2001-276), CS/SB 1568 (Ch. 2001-173), CS/SB 1788 (Ch. 2001-176), CS/CS/SB 2092 (Ch. 2001-222), CS/SB 2110 (Ch. 2001-223), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch. 2001-250), CS/SB 2174 (Ch. 2001-142)

S 1788 GENERAL BILL/CS/1ST ENG by Health, Aging and Long-Term Care; Wasserman Schultz; (CO-SPONSORS) Peadar; Sanderson; Clary; Cowin (Similar CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, Compare H 0235, CS/H 1403, 2ND ENG/H 1867, CS/H 1895, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/CS/1ST ENG/S 2156, CS/S 2158)

Dentistry; provides for appeals from certain adverse determinations re dental service claims; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take domestic-violence education courses; provides alternative by which licensees may comply with general requirement that they take

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**ASTERISK INDICATES LEAD BILL ON TIED
BILLS

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AIDS/HIV education courses. Amends 627.419, 456.031,.033.

Effective Date: 07/01/2001.

05/03/01 SENATE Ordered enrolled -SJ 01256

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06/06/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-176; See
also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/CS/SB 2156 (Ch.
2001-250)S 2156 GENERAL BILL/CS/CS/1ST ENG by Judiciary; Health, Aging and
Long-Term Care; Klein (Similar CS/H 1403, Compare 2ND ENG/H 1867,
CS/H 1895, CS/1ST ENG/S 0992, CS/2ND ENG/S 1558, CS/1ST ENG/S 1788,
CS/S 2158)Dentist/Palliative/End-of-Life Care; allows licensees under
specified provisions to complete course designated by Board of
Dentistry, rather than course in end-of-life care & palliative
care, as alternative to completing domestic-abuse course & as
alternative to completing certain instruction on HIV & acquired
immune deficiency syndrome; redefines term "end-stage condition";
prescribes content & suitability of palliative care, etc. Amends
456.031,.033, 765.1103,.101,.102,.205,.401. Effective Date:
07/01/2001.

05/04/01 SENATE Ordered engrossed, then enrolled -SJ 01504

05/31/01 Signed by Officers and presented to Governor

06/15/01 Approved by Governor; Chapter No. 2001-250; See
also CS/SB 1558 (Ch. 2001-277), CS/SB 1788 (Ch.
2001-176)